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Final results:

West Sac voters seem happy with city's direction; possibly less so with that of the school district. Board president is Kalar not re-elected, while a challenger and the board's most outspoken incumbent both earn a term. Turnout is high.

FOR MAYOR

Christopher Cabaldon (incumbent)	**7,044**	**53.6%**
Mark Johannessen	5,358	40.8%
Bob Lund	745	5.7%

FOR CITY COUNCIL (2 seats)

William (Bill) Kristoff (incumbent)	**6,971**	**35.1%**
Oscar E. Villegas (incumbent)	**6,251**	**31.4%**
Salina M. Valencia	4,173	21.0%
Yolanda Villanueva	2,481	12.5%

FOR SCHOOL BRD (3 seats)

Dave Westin (incum.)	**8,220**	**34.7%**
Teresa Blackmer	**6,493**	**27.4%**
Mary Leland (incum.)	**5,250**	**22.2%**
Barry D. Kalar (incum.)	3,733	15.8%

MEASURE U

Should proceeds of Measure V -- if it passes -- be used for a streetcar system and flood protection?

YES	**8,293**	**64.4%**
No	4,593	35.6%

MEASURE V

Should a local sales tax hike be extended?

YES	**7,491**	**57.5%**
No	5,540	42.5%

Voter turnout was high, largely due to the historic presidential contest. Yolo County Clerk/Recorder Freddie Oakley reports that 14,080 of West Sacramento's 23,110 registered voters cast their ballots on November 4. That adds up to a 60.9 percent voter turnout.

County-wide, voter turnout was 66.1 percent.

Possible attempt at double-suicide

Couple found with injuries is now recovering. Decision may have stemmed from husband's medical problem.

A Southport couple is recovering after a possible attempted double-suicide last week.

"We got a request from a family member to do a welfare check on their house because they believed the husband and wife had indicated they might be thinking of suicide," said Lieutenant Derek Brummett of the West Sacramento Police Department. "On Friday at about 7:30 a.m., our day-shift officers visited. They received no response at the door, so they forced entry. The husband and wife were in bed together. They both exhibited a bunch of self-inflicted wounds, possibly from a knife or other objects."

The Sausalito Road couple is recovering at UCD Medical Center. There were reports that at least one of the pair had ingested a toxic substance.

Why did the couple allegedly try to take their own lives?

"I believe he might have had a brain tumor and was in a terminal condition," said Brummett. "This decision may have been made as a joint decision after that."

The household and its neighbors had been the subject of some conflict recently.

"There had been a couple of incidents last week," said Brummett. "The neighbor's garbage can may have been over the property line, and instead of moving it back, (the husband) emptied it out on their lawn."

KLOSS

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

Sit down for a chat with Jahn (call him "John") Kloss, and he'll absently pick up a wine cork and start making little stabs at it with a pen, talking between these forays. After a while, you will figure out he is doing your portrait on the cork. Because the pen of Kloss just can't seem to stay still.

"I don't want to be just a pen-and-ink artist, but I want to take things onto a computer, and do murals and such," said Kloss from his studio in his "Gateway" subdivision home in Southport. "I'm not completely accepted in the 'fine art' world because I've been a pen-and-ink artist, and a lot of my work has a political component."

The "Kloss" byline is currently showing up editorial page cartoons at the Sacramento News & Review. This Thursday, for example, look for a Kloss image of mayor-elect Kevin Johnson going up for a basketball layup against a basketball backboard labeled "Sacramento." But ask Kloss what he does for a living, and the answer is complicated.

Kloss, 51, teaches sociology and art to college students. He paints too – although the same instincts that serve him as a political cartoonist tend to spill onto his art.

"A lot of the times, those same issues are making it right onto the canvas," he explained. "I paint journalistically."

Kloss comes from a large family in Pennsylvania, and relocated to Sacramento to become a California resident and get a cheap public education at CSUS. He has studied with art teachers in the East, and in Europe. He often visits one mentor of advanced age:

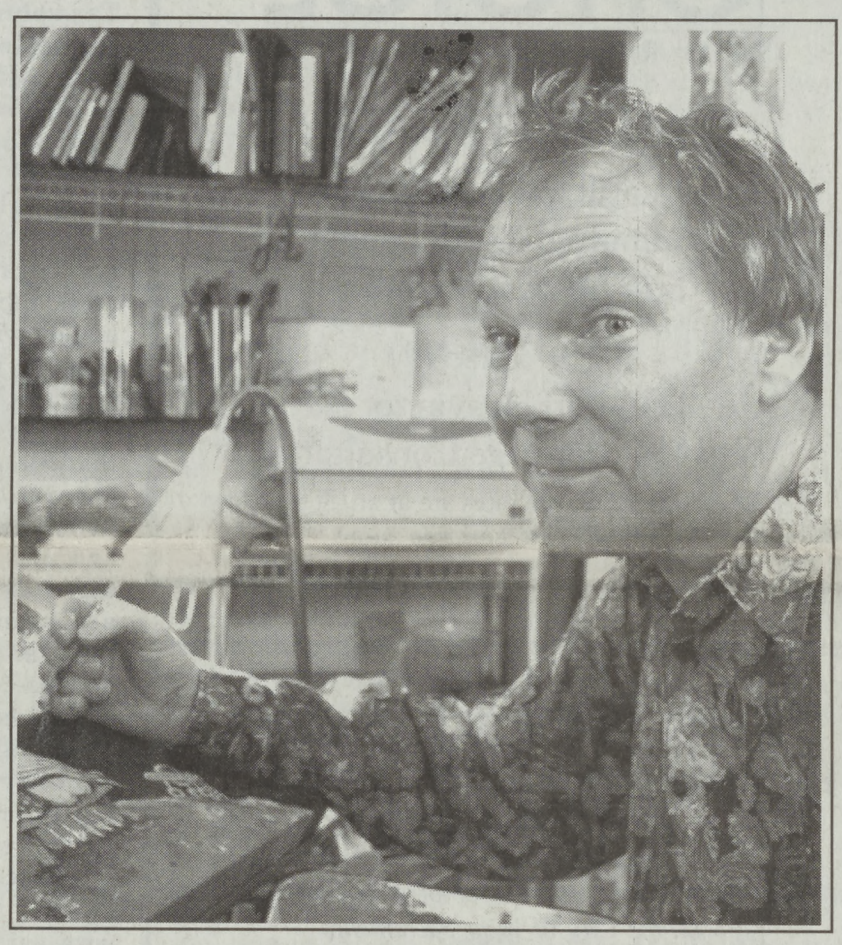
"He takes me out to go watercoloring on the shores of Lake Erie," Kloss recalls. "I ask him why he still paints. He says, 'Jahn, you may just see something nobody has ever seen. That's why we hold the leaf just a little bit closer to our eyes. Although I'm very old, I may see something new.'"

Kloss has an instinct to record the moment and to teach it. When two humpback whales visited West Sacramento's port recently, he took his sketchbook to the shore.

"All the kids started gathering around my sketchbook, and I started handing out paper from my book. All the kids ended up drawing with my colored pencils – that was great! We were all sharing the moment."

Kloss's father was a machinist, building locomotives. That tradition, plus the metaphor of "shining a light," may have helped lead the son to a rather unusual hobby: Kloss has a collection of at least two hundred old flashlights.

"Light is some sort of deep metaphor, about illuminating the darkness," he explained. "And these lights are part of the story of early American manufacture. That story is gone. We've exported our manufacturing base. In the 1920s and '30s, you see things fashioned out of brass and nickel. Now they're plastic. It must have been exciting to live in those times!"



ABOVE: Jahn Kloss in his Southport studio (News-Ledger)
BELOW: quick portraits on wine corks -- done in Kloss's persona as 'Sketch Daddy,' often during his regular visits to the wine tasting gatherings at Nugget Market

"My father wouldn't understand this world where Americans don't make things."

Kloss and his wife Debra share their home with a couple of cats.

Relatively new to West Sacramento, he says he is "now fairly active here, concerning things like where are the parks and bike lanes, and the train dangers on Jefferson Blvd."

"I'm not sure if I'm an artist who happens to be an activist, or an activist who draws some of the time."

18-year old dies in motorcycle crash

An 18-year old with a two-day old learner's permit crashed his motorcycle and died Friday evening.

Alexander DeCastro, a 2007 graduate of River City High School, was headed south on Jefferson Boulevard near Gregory Avenue in Southport at about 8:20 p.m., said Lieutenant Tod Sockman of the West Sacramento Police Department.

"He was passing a group of cars on their left, across the double line," said Sockman. "The lead car was making a left turn onto Gregory and the motorcycle and car collided."

Sockman said the motorcycle "clipped" the car, sending DeCastro and his motorbike on different paths across the roadway. DeCastro slid into a metal mailbox pole. He suffered apparent head trauma after hitting the pole, and was pronounced dead at the scene. He had been wearing a helmet.

Details of the accident were still being investigated.

"The 18-year old just got his learner's permit two days prior, so he wasn't supposed to be driving his motorcycle in the night time," said Sockman. "We don't know his speed yet, but witnesses estimated he was going at least 60 miles per hour."

No other drivers have been cited in the accident.

It was the second traffic fatality for West Sacramento in a little over a week -- a 17-year old died of her injuries after she and a friend were hit by a car while walking on Sacramento Ave. on Oct. 31.

Early deadline

The News-Ledger will go to press a little early for next week's issue.

Deadline for all contributions to the edition of November 19 will be 5 p.m. this Friday, Nov. 14.

Normal deadlines return for the following week. See page two or call 371-8030 for more information.

'Accountability,' says WUSD's top winner

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

Dave Westin was energized by last week's ballot results that put him atop the field of four candidates for seats on the school board in West Sacramento. Both he and a challenger he supported – Teresa Blackmer – earned four-year terms for Washington Unified School District. In third place, also winning a seat, was incumbent Mary Leland.

Westin interpreted the votes for himself and Blackmer as a direct message from the voters.

"The community wants results and they want straight talk," said Westin. "If we can't deliver results, there are going to be more changes on the school board."

Blackmer's victory in the school board race came at the expense of board president Barry Kalar, who found himself the odd-man out in the four-way race. The school board will honor Kalar for his service tomorrow evening.

Westin is the sitting board member who most frequently clashes with his colleagues and school district staff, in a drive for "accountability."

"Clearly, people have to be held accountable for results," Westin remarked. "The community is focused on results and student achievement."

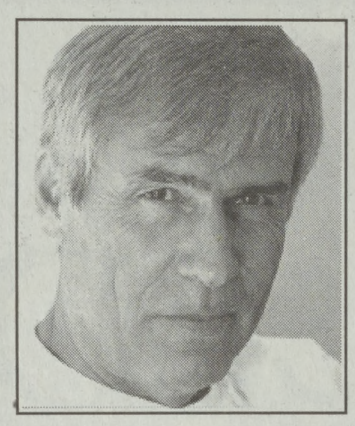
With a new ally on the board – Blackmer – will Westin be looking to make changes in the district's leadership?

"No, nothing like that," he answered. "Our role and responsibility is not to micromanage the superintendent."

DAVE WESTIN

Everyone needs a 'Nana'

My Back Pages



By Daryl Fisher

Another Veterans Day has come and gone and I found myself remembering that, in Vietnam, there were two things a soldier always wanted to do every day. First, he wanted to avoid making any contact whatsoever with the enemy, and second, he wanted to receive at least one letter from home.

Mail call was everything in Vietnam and any day you got a letter from a loved one was a good day. Letters were often the only tangible proof that someone back in the world still cared and that we hadn't been totally forgotten. They were also a status symbol. The more letters you got, the more envied you were, and for about six months way back in 1969, no one in my Aero Rifle Platoon was more envied than a guy I'll call Mike.

Mike was a quiet, unassuming thump-gunner who had been in the platoon for weeks before most of us even knew he was there. He was painfully shy and for the longest time he never spoke to anyone unless he was spoken to first. Even his physical features more or less blended into his surroundings. He was kind of boring looking, if that makes any sense.

To be honest about it, no one much cared one way or the other about Mike until rumors began circulating that he was receiving two – and sometimes even three—letters from home every day. Not only that, but he was also getting packages filled with all kinds of goodies.

"Like what?" I finally asked the guy who bunked next to him.

"Cookies, candy, canned fruit, big ol' salamis, sunflower seeds, jars of honey, you name it. And get this, most of his letters smell like they were postmarked in some French whorehouse, too."

It was definitely time to talk to the platoon's mail clerk, who confirmed that it was all true.

"The guy may have the personality of a fence post," said our mail clerk, "but he's putting everyone around here to shame when it comes to getting letters and packages."

"I hear all the letters are perfumed," I said.

"At least one every day is – the one that comes from Kansas – and we're talking expensive, classy perfume, too. Hell, I spend most of my day sniffing that guy's letters."

"Maybe he has a really sexy girlfriend or something?" I asked.

"In Wichita, Kansas?"

Anyway, a meeting was finally called and I was elected to make a herculean effort to become Mike's first real friend in Vietnam — and it turned out to be a very rewarding task.

"You're supposed to find out about the perfumed letters, right?" Mike asked me the second time I invited him to attend the base's nightly movie with me.

"Yeah," I admitted. "We're all pretty jealous."

"Look, if I tell you, and you tell everyone else, they're all just going to be disappointed."

"Come on, Mike," I begged, "we're all dying to know."

"Okay," he finally said, "I'll tell you, but I'm not going to tell anyone else. If you want to, I guess that's okay, but I really don't think it's anybody else's business. The perfumed letters – and the packages – come from my Nana."

"Your Nana?" I asked, shocked. "You mean your grandmother? You're putting me on, right?"

"Nope. I just happen to have the greatest grandmother in the whole world."

"But what about the sexy perfume on the letters?"

Mike smiled and said, "Well, when I was real young – in grade school – my parents busted up and I lived with my Nana for about five years. And every morning, when she would wake me up for school, the first thing I smelled was this incredible perfume she always wore. And to this day, all I have to do is take a little whiff of her perfume and I think of her – and of growing up happy and wanted. She knows that when I smell her perfume, I think of her – and home."

"So, there's no sexy girlfriend?"

"Nope. Sorry. Just my Nana – although she still thinks of herself as a pretty sexy lady."

About four months later – after I had agreed to keep Mike's secret – the perfumed letters and packages suddenly came to an abrupt halt. Everyone in the platoon was sure that Jody had struck again and that, like so many other girls with boyfriends in Vietnam, even Mike's sexy lady had tired of waiting and found someone else.

The truth turned out to be even sadder. Mike's beloved Nana had passed away from congestive heart failure at the age of 68.

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'Across the bridge': events around the region

Tax volunteers needed

The Greater Sacramento Area AARP Foundation Tax-Aide program is seeking volunteers for the 2008 tax season to provide free personal income tax assistance to low and middle income taxpayers of all ages, races, religions and national origins, with special attention given to those who are age 60+. The only prerequisite to become a tax-aid counselor is the desire to give time and help others. Basic computer knowledge would be helpful and bilingual volunteers are especially needed. Volunteers are reimbursed for their program-related out-of-pocket expenses, including such costs as mileage and postage. Training is conducted in January and volunteer assignments begin in February. For more information, call 1-888-227-7669 or go online to www.aarp.org./taxaide.

Widowed persons meet

The Widowed Persons Association of California meets regularly and also hosts numerous events throughout the year. If you are interested in more information about the association they are located at 2628 El Camino Avenue, Suite D-18 in Sacramento and their office hours are 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m Monday through Friday. They can be reached at 916-972-9722.

See the stars

Each weekend, The Sacramento Discovery Museum Science & Space Center is open to provide the general public with wildlife presentations and planetarium shows. With the price of admission, parents and children can learn to identify constellations and other objects in the night sky. Presentations are at 1 pm and 3 pm on Saturdays. The Center is located at 3615 Auburn Boulevard in Sacramento. Call 575-3941.

Alzheimer's Aid Society

The Alzheimer's Aid Society of Northern California Support Group will meet on the third Thursday of November. For more information call 448-7001.

New at the local library

By Elise McCallan
Arthur F. Turner Branch Library
840 Jefferson Blvd.
West Sacramento

The Arthur F. Turner Branch Library has received the following new books:

"Don't Throw It Out: Recycle, Renew, and Reuse to Make Things Last" by Lori Baird.

"Waiting For an Ordinary Day: The Unraveling of Life in Iraq" by Farnaz Fassihi.

"Clawing at the Limits of Cool: Miles Davis, John Coltrane, and the Greatest Jazz Collaboration Ever" by Farah J. Griffin and Salim Washington.

"Too Soon Old, Too Late Start: Thirty True Things You Need to Know Now" by Gordon Livingston, M.D.

"Faberge's Eggs: The Extraordinary Story of the Masterpieces That Outlived an Empire" by Toby Faber.

The library will be closed on Tuesday November 11 in honor of Vererans' Day.

Call 375-6465 for information and library hours.

OBITUARIES

Jackie (Lopes) Gilmete

Jackie Gilmete passed away on November 6, 2008. She was the beloved wife of the late Silvestre Gilmete, Sr.; the loving mother of Silvestre (Terry) Gilmete, Jr., Steven Gilmete, Kristina (Walter) Gilmete-Moorer, Candida (Avelino) Andrade and John (Helena) Lopes; the dear sister of Johnny (Esther) Lopes; the devoted "Vovo" of Kirissa and Jayden; and the dear grandmother of Sandy, Vicki, Avelino Jr., and Emily. She is also survived by numerous nieces, nephews and in-laws, and was preceded in death by siblings Carolina Rodgers and Joey Lopes.

Jackie worked tirelessly founding and organizing the Joey Lopes Foundation for the benefit of the Alzheimer's Society. She was past president and member of Cabo Verdeano Club (SCNC) and a passionate member of her community, volunteering her time and energy endlessly.

Visitation will be on November 12, 2008 from noon to 5 pm at River Cities Funeral Chapel in West Sacramento. Vigil services will follow at 7 pm at Holy Cross Catholic Church. A Mass of Christian Burial will be offered for the Repose of her Soul on November 13, 2008 at 10 am at Holy Cross Catholic Church, 1321 Anna Street in West Sacramento. Interment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery in Sacramento. Memorials are preferred to the Northern California Alzheimer's Aid Society, 2641 Cottage Way, Suite 4, Sacramento, CA 95825.

Alexander DeCastro

Alexander Ward DeCastro died on November 7, 2008, at the age of 18.

Mr. DeCastro is survived by his father, Reydante Bunje DeCastro and his wife Eilene of West Sacramento, and by his mother Helyn Ward-Ackland of England.

He was a 2007 graduate of River City High School and a West Sacramento resident of five years.

A Rosary will be recited on Nov. 13 at 6:30 p.m. at River Cities Funeral Chapel. Visitation at the chapel is 3-8 p.m. on Nov. 13. A Mass of Christian Burial is scheduled for 10 a.m. on Friday, Nov. 14, at Our Lady of Grace Church.

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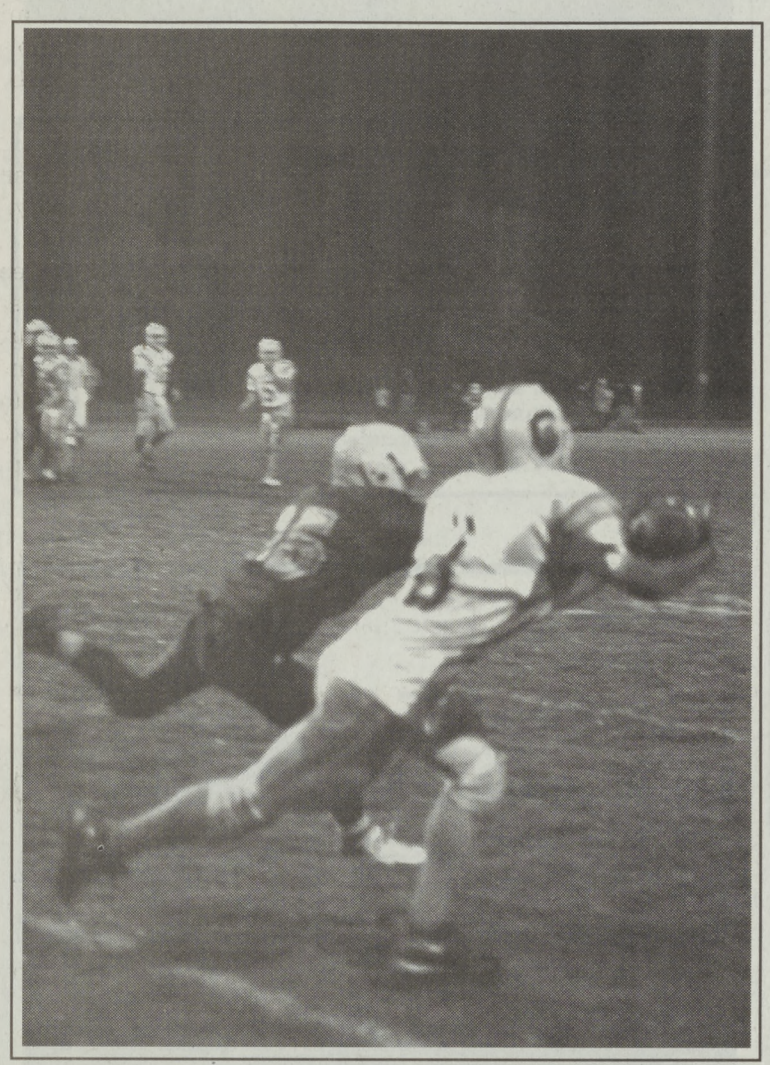

A River City High defender (dark jersey) breaks up a pass in Friday night's game against Center High, at River City High School.

The Raiders took a 41-6 loss in the game.

River City (2-7) will face Rio Linda (6-3) at home on Friday. Kickoff is 7:30 p.m.

It will be the final game of the 2008 season for River City. The game will also mark the final RCHS game at Gwinn Field -- the field named after the late James Marshall High School science teacher Richard Gwinn. The athletic field has been used by RCHS and the former James Marshall High School for more than a half-century.

The field was named after Gwinn in the 1960s.

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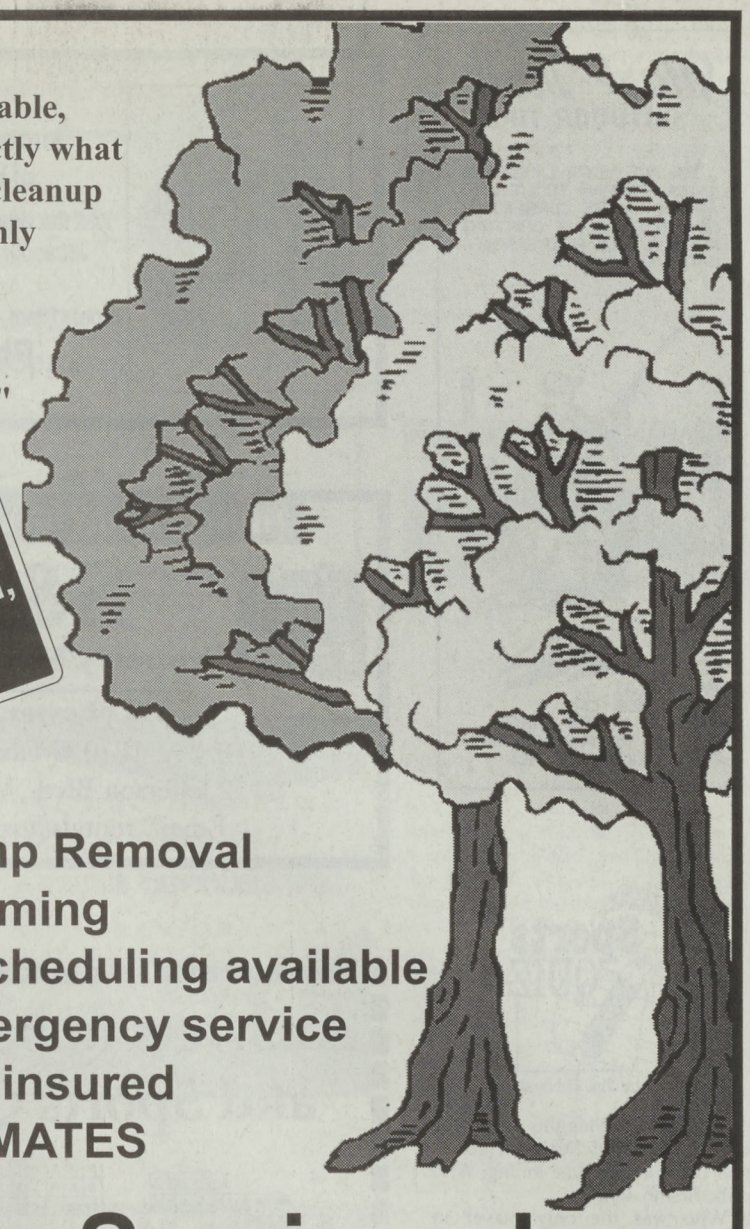

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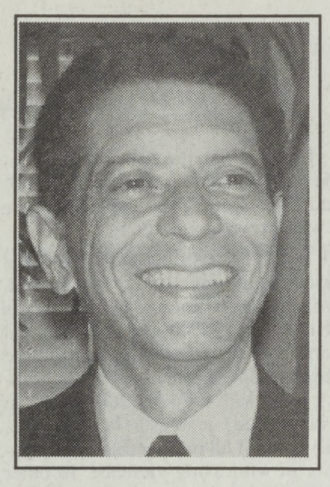

By Richard Novoa

The Sacramento State Hornets pulled off the upset 29-19 win in their annual "Causeway Classic" against Davis before a sold-out crowd of 10,317 at Aggie Stadium. The Hornets (5-5) finally beat Davis (5-5) ending their eight-game losing streak against their arch-rival who they haven't beat since their 48-27 win in 1999 and their first win in the city of Davis since 1996.

The star of the show was CSUS wide receiver Tony Washington with his three touchdown receptions but it was the play of the Hornets defense lead by the outstanding play of linebacker Cyrus Mulitalo, who led the charge with seven tackles and a game saving interception in the final minutes to seal the deal for the Hornets.

Second year coach, Marshall Sperbeck, has led Sacramento to respectable 5-5 season which should make recruiting a little easier next season while on the other side of the causeway, UCD coach Bob Biggs acknowledges that a new rivalry with CSUS has born.

Shifting gears to Major League Baseball, which is five months away, the Oakland A's didn't waste anytime by pulling off a huge trade with the Colorado Rockies to obtain All-Star slugger Matt Holliday. The A's gave up ex-River Cats outfielder, Carlos Gonzalez, pitcher Greg Smith and closer Huston Street.

The Giants will find out on Tuesday if pitcher, Tim Lincecum, will become the second Giant to win the Cy Young Award and even closer to home Woodland's Dustin Pedroia could easily be awarded the Sacramento area first MVP award.

Kings Korner

The Kings (3-4) return to the friendly confines of the Arco Arena last week has produced wins over Memphis, Minnesota, and Golden State. The Kings play was welcome sight especially after their disastrous four losses on the road to start the season.

But their three consecutive wins will be challenged on Tuesday night when the Kings host Allen Iverson and the Detroit Pistons. Coach Theus has been rotating his line-up in search of the team chemistry and solid defensive presences on the court. But injuries continue to mount for the second year coach.

The Kings blew out the Warriors 115-98 on Sunday but the price was too high with Kevin Martin reinjuring his ankle in the victory. Martin, who missed 17 games last season with groin sprain, will be out for two weeks. To make matters worst Francisco Garcia is still down with a strained calf and guard Quincy Douby is also out with a sore foot. Both players are day-to-day.

The Kings have played well during their current home stand especially rookies Bobby Brown and Jason Thompson averaging 9 and 11 points respectively. Both players have showed great promise for the future with their continuous hustle on both ends of the court. Also, Spencer Hawes, who is averaging 12 points, is starting to mature at center blocking shots and hitting his newly acquired skill of shooting three pointers (.750) tops in the NBA.

The Kings will travel down to Los Angeles to play the Clippers on Wednesday night and then return to host Shaq and the Suns on Friday, November 14th (7 p.m.) followed by a Sunday night (6 p.m.) game against San Antonio.

NFL Week 11

The 49ers (2-7) didn't drop their pants in their 29-24 loss to the first place Arizona Cardinals on Monday night but with no timeouts and four seconds left to play the Niners came up a yard short of their third win of the year.

The Niners' new quarterback, Shaun Hill, played well through three quarters but finished just like J.T. O'Sullivan, throwing two interceptions and fumbling in the second half of a close football game.

The Oakland Raiders (2-7) offense continues to struggle big time losing 17-6 to Carolina last Sunday managing only two field goals. The Raiders have only scored nine touchdowns, fewest in the NFL, and have been shut out of the end zone for nine quarters.

Coach Cable finally benched JaMarcus Russell and let back up QB's Andrew Walter and Marques Tuiasosopo play a little bit. Unfortunately, the results were the same – Another loss and No touchdowns!

It was a devastating loss for coach Singletary extending the 49ers losing streak to six games as they prepare to host the hapless St. Louis Rams (1:15 p.m-FOX) Sunday while coach Cable and the Silver and Black attack travel to Miami (10 a.m.-ch.13) to win one for Al Davis.

Aztec's Picks

My dog Aztec responded well to his new diet last week and scratched his way to a 3-1 week to improve his weekly picks (16-24) which is still pretty weak. Anyway, the dog's college "Pick of the Week" goes to the USC Trojans (-22) and their No. 1 defense over Stanford.

In the NFL the Colts (-9 ½) will continue their roll and stampede the Texans and the 49ers (-5) will finally win a game at home against the Lambs and on Monday night the Bills (-4) will survive the Browns.

Enjoy your day – see ya next week!

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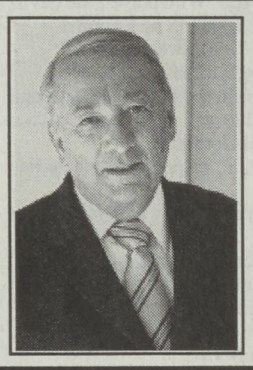

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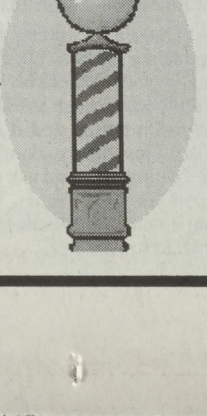

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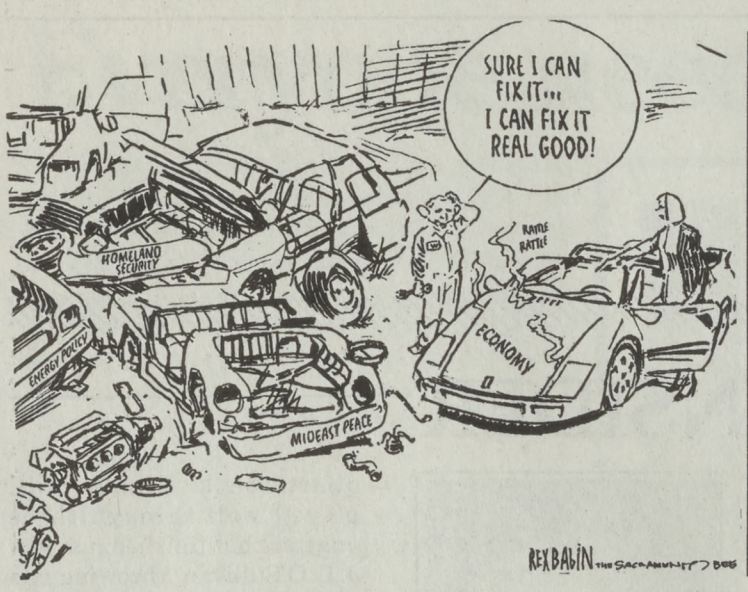

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Strange BUT TRUE

By Samantha Weaver

• Those who speak English call it a French kiss, but those who speak French call it an English kiss.

• It was Roman statesman Cato the Elder who made the following sage observation: "After I'm dead I would rather have people ask why I have no monument than why I have one."

• At 140,000 square miles, the Papahanaumokuakea Marine National Monument, located (unsurprisingly) in Hawaii, is larger than all the other U.S. national parks put together.

• Have you ever met an oligochaetelogist? You have if you've ever been introduced to someone who studies earthworms.

• If you could cut out a piece of a pulsar the size of a standard baseball and weigh it, it would be heavier than the Empire State Building.

• The largest diamond ever found was discovered in 1905 and weighed 3,106 karats, or more than 1 1/3 pounds, in the rough. After the Cullinan diamond changed hands several times, King Edward VII of England received it as a gift for his birthday. When he finally had the stone cut, the enormous diamond yielded 96 small gems and nine large ones, including the 530-karat Great Star of Africa.

• It was once the custom among the Danakil tribe of Ethiopia to mark a man's grave with one stone for each man he had killed during his lifetime.

• If you're not a history buff, you might be surprised to learn that during the American Revolutionary War, more residents of the Colonies fought on the side of the British than on the side of the revolutionaries.

• If you're like the typical American, the food you eat travels between 1,500 and 2,500 miles from the farm where it was grown to your plate.

• It was English journalist, political essayist and novelist George Orwell, probably best known for his works "Nineteen Eighty-Four" and "Animal Farm," who made the following sage observation: "Serious sport has nothing to do with fair play. It is bound up with hatred, jealousy, boastfulness, disregard of all rules and sadistic pleasure in witnessing violence. In other words, it is war minus the shooting."

• In Florida, there is one boat for every 18 residents of the state.

• In an interesting social experiment, Walpole Prison in Massachusetts introduced yoga into inmates' routines to see what would happen. It's had a beneficial effect, apparently: Since the routine was introduced, recidivism has been reduced by 40 percent.

• Paleontologists claim that Neanderthals used toothpicks. How can they tell, you might well ask? It seems that toothpick use leaves distinctive grooves on teeth.

• Are you familiar with lycanthropy? Unless you're a fan of old horror films, probably not. "Lycanthropy" is the ability to morph into a wolf.

• Those who study such things say that in a human, the sense of smell is about 10,000 times more sensitive than the sense of taste.

• The heaviest rainfall in a 24-hour period ever to fall in the United States occurred in Alvin, Texas, in 1979. In that year, a total of 43 inches of rain fell in the space of a single day.

• Did you know that August is officially Immunization Awareness Month? Yep. I'm not entirely sure what we're supposed to do about it, though.

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Thought for the Day: "It is the greatest of all mistakes to do nothing because you can only do a little." — *Sydney Smith*

THIS IS A HAMMER

By Samantha Mazzotta

Cedar or Vinyl Siding?

Q. I have a 31-year-old raised ranch with cedar shake siding. The south side of the house gets all the sun and the shakes are dilapidated. To re-side with vinyl on all sides, the estimated cost is $10,000. Is it advisable to try and replace the shakes only on the one side? Will this reduce its resale value? — *Punyada B., Middlebury, Conn.*

A. That's a tough call, because siding material is such a personal choice. I know for sure that the damaged and deteriorating siding is affecting the value of your home, and that a *quality* repair will maintain or raise that value.

My question to you is this: If it will cost $10,000 to sheathe the entire house in vinyl siding, what will it cost to just redo the cedar shakes on the one side? If the cost is less or comparable, then consider going with new cedar shakes.

There are at least an equal number of benefits to cedar. You're maintaining the house, which will maintain its value. Cedar is a "green" choice of material (it's renewable and has less environmental impact), and it lasts just as long as vinyl siding when properly cared for. New cedar will look strikingly different in color from the older shakes on your home, but there are methods to "weather" it so it will blend a bit better. Plus, there are homebuyers who will specifically want all-cedar siding, rather than a mix of siding materials. Learn more about cedar siding by visiting http://www.cedarbureau.org.

If you decide to use vinyl siding on that one side, make sure the contractor knows his material and knows how to prevent deterioration at the corners where the vinyl meets the cedar siding on the rest of the house. Certain materials will speed up deterioration of the wood shakes, and colors leaching from the shakes could stain the edges of the siding. A good buffer material will be needed between the two.

home tip

Moss growth on cedar shakes and shingles can be reduced by nailing copper or zinc strips along the ridge cap of the roof or above the shakes; rain runoff from these strips will retard fungal growth.

If you redo the entire house in vinyl, then read up on the care and maintenance of vinyl siding. While it does needs less maintenance than wood siding or shakes, vinyl siding is not repair- or maintenance-free. It must be protected from extreme heat (such as barbecue grills) and corrosive chemicals, and should still be cleaned on a regular basis.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homeguru2000@hotmail.com, or write This Is a Hammer, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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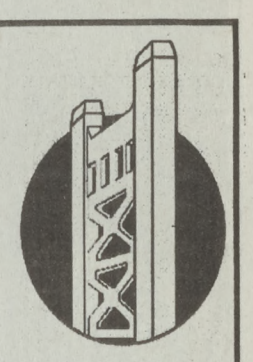

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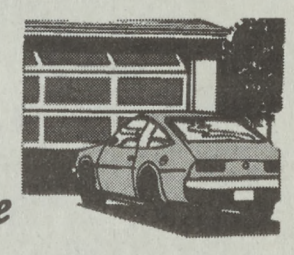

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2. **Saw V** .....(R)
Tobin Bell, Costas Mandylor
3. **Max Payne** .....(PG-13)
Mark Wahlberg, Mila Kunis
4. **Beverly Hills Chihuahua** ..(PG)
animated
5. **Pride and Glory** .....(R)
Colin Farrell, Edward Norton
6. **The Secret Life of Bees** (PG-13)
Dakota Fanning, Queen Latifah
7. **W.** .....(PG-13)
Josh Brolin, Elizabeth Banks
8. **Eagle Eye** .....(PG-13)
Shia LaBeouf, Michelle Monaghan
9. **Body of Lies** .....(R)
Leonardo DiCaprio, Russell Crowe
10. **Quarantine** .....(R)
Jennifer Carpenter, Steve Harris

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Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriquez

1. LANGUAGE: In its archaic usage, what is snickersnee?
2. LITERATURE: Which character utters the line, "Open sesame," and in which body of work?
3. HISTORY: Which Russian leader introduced the policy of "glasnost," which opened discussion of political and social issues and led to greater freedom of information?
4. FOOD & DRINK: What kind of drink is Bardolino?
5. SCIENCE: What is the focus of agronomy?
6. LEGALLY SPEAKING: What is voir dire?
7. U.S. PRESIDENTS: In the 1970s, President Gerald Ford introduced a slogan and acronym that didn't catch on well in America. What did his "WIN" buttons stand for?
8. MUSIC: Which pop singer starred in the 1980 remake of "The Jazz Singer"?
9. ANATOMY: How many wisdom teeth does an adult usually have?
10. MOVIES: Who played the devil-possessed child in "The Exorcist"?

Answers

1. Fighting with knives
2. Ali Baba in the story "Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves"
3. Mikhail Gorbachev
4. Red wine, named after an Italian town
5. Crop production and land management
6. Questioning of prospective jurors
7. Whip Inflation Now
8. Neil Diamond
9. Four
10. Linda Blair

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FLASH BACK POP, ROCK & SOUL TRIVIA

BY MICK HARPER

1. Which jazz musician went by the name Satchmo, and what did the name mean?
2. Which 13-year-old artist launched his career with "Why Do Fools Fall In Love"?
3. Which Beatles song lasted longest at No. 1 on the charts?
4. What was the name of Elvis Presley's original backup band?
5. Name the title and artist for the top pop song of 1981.
6. What is the Watusi?
7. Name the 1971 song by one-hit wonder Jean Knight.

Answers

1. Trumpeter Louis Armstrong was called Satchel Mouth because of the shape of his mouth when playing the trumpet. The nickname was shortened to Satchmo.
2. Frankie Lymon (and his group The Teenagers) had their careers launched with the song in 1956.
3. "Hey Jude" topped the charts for 19 weeks. The song was written by John Lennon to his son Julian as John and wife Ono were divorcing.
4. They called themselves the Blue Moon Boys, after recording Bill Monroe's "Blue Moon of Kentucky."
5. "Bette Davis Eyes" by Kim Carnes.
6. The Watusi was a beach dance that became popular after the Orlon's recording of "Wah Watusi" in 1962.
7. "Mr. Big Stuff" rose to No. 2 on the pop charts and No. 1 on the R&B charts in the U.S.

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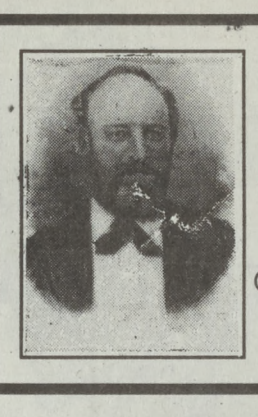

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Now here's a tip!

by Jo Ann Derson

• Getting that thermos out of storage? Freshen its smell with a half-cup of baking soda. Shake it around and let it sit overnight. Got stains? A few tablets of Alka Seltzer will do the trick. Fill the bottle two-thirds full with hot water, plop in the tablets and let them do their work. Use a bottle brush to scrub, and then rinse.

• "I like to make my own baby food, but doing it for every meal was tedious. Now I just make a large batch of each kind, freeze it into ice-cube trays and, when they are frozen, pop the cubes out into labeled freezer bags. I defrost just what I need quickly and easily, and I have a much greater variety this way." — D.M. in Washington

• "If you are painting around windows, cut newspaper to fit the window, then dampen enough that it will stick on the window. Paint as normal, then just peel off. No tape required. Painter's tape is getting pretty expensive, if you ask me." — V.L. in Delaware

• "I keep a travel container of baby wipes in the car for use after filling the tank with gas. Now that it's all pay at the pump, I hardly go inside and am not able to wash my hands off. Just a quick wipe and my hands are clean, and I can toss the wipe right there at the pump." — J.S. in Texas

• "I have a very pretty pot that I keep beside my kitchen sink. It's filled with baking soda. Whenever I am working with foods that are smelly or strong, I can open the lid and it helps a little. Also, I just dip my damp fingers into the baking soda and use it to scrub the smell from my hands. The bonus is that it makes my hands feel softer." — O.O. in Iowa

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Sports QUIZ

by Chris Richcreek

1. In 2007, Magglio Ordonez became the second Detroit Tiger to homer twice in the same inning. Who was the first to do it?
2. Who was the only player in Cincinnati Reds history to have 40 homers in four consecutive seasons?
3. Entering 2008, how many consecutive seasons of 11 or more wins has the Southern Cal football team had?
4. When was the last time the Portland Trail Blazers made the NBA playoffs?
5. Who held the NHL record for most goals by a left wing before Alexander Ovechkin broke it with 65 goals in 2007-08?
6. In the 26 races in 2008 before NASCAR's 10-race Chase for the Sprint Cup, how many were won by drivers who did not make the Chase field?
7. Who was the last male tennis player before Rafael Nadal in 2008 to win the French Open and Wimbledon in the same year?

Answers

1. Al Kaline in 1955.
2. Adam Dunn (2004-'07).
3. Six consecutive seasons.
4. It was the 2002-03 season.
5. Los Angeles' Luc Robitaille had 63 goals in 1992-93.
6. Three. Ryan Newman (Daytona 500) and Kasey Kahne (Coca-Cola 600, Pocono 500).
7. Bjorn Borg in 1980.

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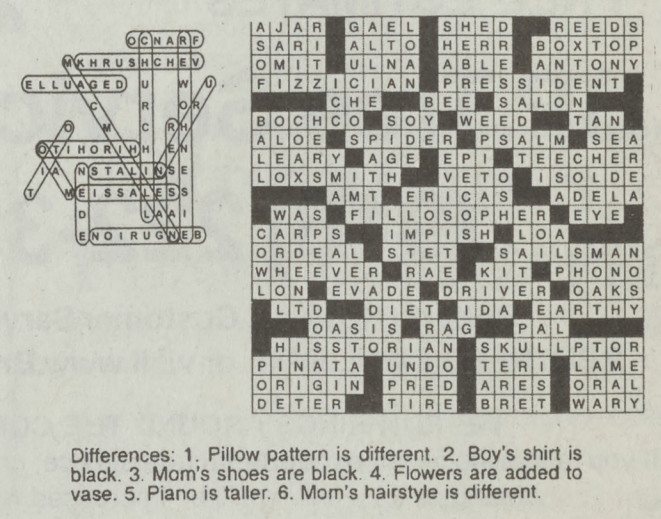
Answers to puzzles (p. 8) and Sports Quiz (p. 3)



Differences: 1. Pillow pattern is different. 2. Boy's shirt is black. 3. Mom's shoes are black. 4. Flowers are added to vase. 5. Piano is taller. 6. Mom's hairstyle is different.

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Nov. 6, 9:18 a.m.
A business on Stillwater Road complained that picketing union workers nearby were making noise and setting off car alarms, disrupting business.

Nov. 6, 10:08 a.m.
A garbage can was reported on fire on Meadow Road. A man was reported to be on scene, putting it out.

Nov. 6, 10:21 a.m.
A check-cashing business on the 600-block of Jefferson reported that a woman was trying to cash a fraudulent $4,500 check.

Nov. 6, 10:31 a.m.
A vehicle was reported stolen from Houston Street.

Nov. 6, 11:18 a.m.
A caller told police that a man in a pickup truck had tried to pick up some juvenile girls near West Capitol Avenue and Poplar.

Nov. 6, 11:42 a.m.
A caller reported that a man was going through people's garbage on Partridge Road. The man had a bicycle with bags of garbage.

Nov. 6, 1:45 p.m.
A home on Rockrose Road was reported burglarized.

Nov. 6, 2:45 p.m.
A home on Welland Way was reported burglarized. The homeowner was making a list of missing items.

Nov. 6, 3:41 p.m.
A caller reported that two juveniles were fighting near Westacre Road and Meadow Road, with about 20 others looking on.

Nov. 6, 5:19 p.m.
A woman on Sausalito Road reported that a neighbor threw cat litter and rotten meat on her lawn.

Nov. 6, 6:40 a.m.
A caller from the 800-block of Sacramento Avenue reported that a 2000 Honda Accord was missing, but it was unclear whether the car was towed or stolen. It had been parked illegally.

Nov. 6, 7:36 a.m.
A technical school on Riverside Parkway reported that a student had made threats of violence, and was now in the school office.

Nov. 7
West Sacramento police helped a parole agent conduct a parole search of a room on the 4700-block of West Capitol. The 30-year old subject was in the company of another parolee. The subject showed signs of drug use. Pornography was found in the room, which was a violation of the subject's parole conditions, since he was a sex offender. The man was arrested.

Nov. 8, 10:33 p.m.
Near Harbor and Evergreen, a 24-year old Sacramento man drove through a red light in front of a police car. The officer stopped the driver and found the driver had no license and appeared drunk. The driver was removed from the car. He admitted to drinking one 24-ounce beer, and was arrested. The man's blood alcohol later measured 0.12 percent (0.08 percent is "presumed intoxicated").

Nov. 9, 3:55 a.m.
An officer stopped a 38-year old Woodland man for a vehicle code violation near West Capitol and Harbor. The man appeared intoxicated and was arrested and booked for DUI.

Nov. 10, 1:37 a.m.
An unknown bar patron called police to report a DUI driver. An officer spotted the subject's vehicle on West Capitol Avenue, swerving within its lane. The driver was pulled over. He appeared intoxicated, failed a field sobriety test and refused further testing. The man was arrested and booked.

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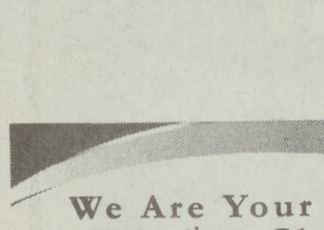
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Jill Jackson's HOLLYWOOD

Jackie Chan

HOLLYWOOD ... Still dull in some areas of the industry, but tourists still pour in looking for stars and other attractions. I've told you about many things of interest over the years, but have never mentioned the Santa Monica Pier. It's on the Pacific, about 10 miles west of Hollywood and 30 miles from downtown L.A. If you don't have a car or a tour bus, there's a public transit bus from downtown to the ocean with lots of sights along the way. On the pier, you can take a turn on the Ferris wheel, play games, watch fishermen pull in perch or halibut or whatever. Lots of restaurants, fun and frolic.

Things have been rough on "The View." **Barbara Walters** seems to be having a bit of trouble with **Sherri Shepherd**, though it may be settled one way or another by the time you read this. For a lady hovering about age 80, Barbara looks great, and her book is flying off the shelves. For those who prefer audio books, "Audition: A Memoir" is now available on CD, recorded by the lady herself.

Jackie Chan is set to star in "The Spy Next Door." It's a comedy about a man (Chan) who is hired to baby-sit his neighbor's children and winds up having to fight off secret agents after one of the kids inadvertently downloads a secret code. And just in case you didn't know, Jackie is one of the biggest grossing comedy/action stars in the business.

Usually divorces are everyday occurrences out this way, but everybody is talking about **Larry King's** latest. Some say it's his seventh, some his eighth. However, or whatever, that's a lot of "I Do-ing" and "I Don't-ing." And, for those of you who have asked about his shirt and suspender combinations, I'm not in on his haberdashery suppliers, but I must admit the get-up is interesting. Almost as interesting as **David Letterman's** white knee socks and moccasins.

Barbra Streisand and **James Brolin** recently celebrated their 10th wedding anniversary. This seems to be a good one. The marriage, I mean. And the diva loves to fiddle around with architecture. She recently supervised several additions to their Malibu estate and loved every minute of it. And P.S. Here's a couple that manages to keep two careers going without conflict or jealousy. The Brolins are great supporters of each other. That's as far as I'll go, because one never knows what can happen at the tick of a clock.

This won't happen until Dec. 18, 2009, but already word is it will be a tremendous happening. And that will be **James Cameron's** sci-fi epic "Avatar." It will be in stereoscopic 3-D, combining live-action and computer animation using all kinds of new techniques. It's been in works for 2 1/2 years and is Cameron's first narrative feature since "Titanic," and you know what a blockbuster that was.

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BITS 'N' PIECES: It didn't take **Nicole Kidman Urban** long to get her beautiful body back in shape after the birth of her daughter Sunday Rose. SUNDAY ROSE!? Mayhap if she has another girl child it could be Monday Tulip? ... Looks like **Leo** is now with a beautiful model named **Bar Rafael**. They've been kissy-kissy at several nightclubs. ... **Kiefer Sutherland's** daughter, Sarah Jude, is named after **Sarah Jessica Parker**, and Kiefer himself was named after screenwriter **Warren Kiefer**. His full name is Kiefer William Frederick Dempsey George Rufus Sutherland.

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by Freddy Groves

Barriers to Opening a Small Business

The General Accountability Office recently reported to the House and Senate Committees on Small Business on the status of The Military Reservist and Veterans Small Business Reauthorization and Opportunity Act of 2008. The Act, in a nutshell, was an update and expansion of a similar one in 1999. Its original purpose was to bring federal agencies together under one umbrella to aid service-disabled veterans who wish to open small businesses.

Years ago, all the pertinent agencies entered into Memos of Understanding (MOUs), which outlined exactly how each agency would coordinate with the others to bring about the desired end results. For example, the Department of Veterans Affairs, Small Business Administration (SBA) and Association for Small Business Development Centers signed an MOU to establish a clearinghouse for information on assistance programs on the federal, state and local levels.

The GAO report concluded that:

- Federally mandated objectives were not being met, and that lack of coordination adds to the problems veterans face in wading through the federal programs.
- There have been delays in setting up an interagency task force to bring all the programs together. For example, it was required that the task force be set up within 90 days of Feb. 14, 2008, with the SBA in charge. As of October, it had not, and the SBA didn't know when it would be.
- Established MOUs were gutted. The SBA said they "institutionalized" their MOUs, whatever that means. The VA's subsequent MOUs were signed, but not by the SBA.
- The information clearinghouse, which was to have information for service-disabled veterans all in one place, was never established.

At this point, service-disabled veterans wanting to start a business are still being sent to multiple programs and agencies, and no one agency has all the information available from all the programs.

News-Ledger Directory *of* Local Places *of* Worship

Anna Street Baptist Church Rev. Norman Pollitt, 371-6560 1400 Anna St., W. Sac. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.	**Community Lutheran Church** Rev. Marjorie C. Beach, Pastor 920 Drever St., 371-8804 10 a.m. Worship/Sunday School Friendly, inclusive faith language, Progressive thea/logy LGBT, Interfaith folks welcome www.community-lutheran-church.net	**Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church** 911 Park Blvd., 371-4814 Father Jos. Karikattil, Pastor Masses: Sat. Vigil 5:30pm Sunday 9 & 10:30 a.m. Weekdays 7 a.m. No Mass on Thursday
Center for Spiritual Awareness 1020 W. Capitol Ave., 374-9177 Sun. services 9 & 11 am Meditation at 10:30 a.m. Praise & worship 10:45 a.m. Junior church for all ages at 11 am	**Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints** 2667 Linden Road Bishop Laramie Taylor (916) 743-5265 Sunday Meeting Times: Sacrament Meeting, 9 a.m. PUBLIC WELCOME!	**Seventh Day Adventist Church** Frank Hightower, Elder 519-5329 2860 Jefferson Blvd., W. Sac. PO Box 447, W. Sac. 95691 Sat. Sabbath School 9:30 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. 372-6570
Trinity Presbyterian Church 1500 Park Blvd., W. Sac. Rev. Steve Whitney (916) 371-5875 9am: Family-Friendly Contemporary Service 11am: Blended Traditional & Contemporary Service 5pm Casual, Contemp. Service	**Holy Cross Catholic Church** 1321 Anna St. (near Todhunter) Pastor Giancarlo Mittempergher Sat. Vigil 5 p.m. (English) Sunday 9 (English) Noon & 7 p.m. (Spanish) Mon 8:30am, Tues-Wed 7am, Thurs. 6:45 (Spanish), Fri. 8:30 a.m. Call 371-1211	**First Southern Baptist Church** Rev. Don Parker Sun. School 9:30 a.m. Sun. Worship 11am Wed. 6:30pm Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 2124 Michigan Blvd. 371-2111
SouthPort Community Church Pastor Bruce Maier Celebration Worship Sunday 10:30 a.m. KidLand during service. Youth & Small Group Ministry for All Ages. Call 372-7818. Meets at 2919 Promenade St. www.southportcommunity.com	**WestSide Covenant Church** Worship Services at Collings Teen Center 1541 Merkley Ave. Sundays 10 a.m. & 6 p.m. www.westsidecov.org 371-3933	**New Discovery Christian Church** Now meeting at Bryte Elem. School, 637 Todhunter Ave., West Sacramento at 10:30 a.m. Nondemoninational. Casual dress. Pastor Jerry Green (916) 933-2351
Horizon Christian Fellowship Rev. Claude J Perez, Sr., Pastor 1800 Manzanita Way, 371-3458 SUN. Worship 9:15 am, 11 am & 6pm WED. Bible Study 7pm 'Celebrate Recovery', 'Girls Ministries' & 'Royal Rangers', all at 6:30 p.m. THURS. Youth Group 7pm	**Radiant Life Church of West Sacramento** 3605 Gregory Ave (in Southport, where Jefferson, Davis & Gregory meet) Worship Sun. 10 a.m. Youth Tuesday 6:30 p.m. Call 371-6706 Visit: www.radiantlifewest.com	**Fresh Oil KingdomMinistries** Meeting every Sunday at 3pm Turner Library Community Rm 1212 Merkley Ave (916) 617-4377 Bible-based ministry. Pastors: William & Rachel Wiley Bible study each Wed. 7pm, 1479 Barona St., W Sac.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
PT08-2747
PETITION OF LARRY JAMES ROGERS

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

Petitioner Larry James Rogers filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Present name: Brenner Scott Rogers-Priolo. Proposed name: Brenner Scott Rogers.

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING:

December 4, 2008, at 9:00 A.M., in Dept. 1, Superior Court of California, County of Yolo, 725 Court St., Woodland CA 95695.

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: News-Ledger, West Sacramento, CA.

Kathleen M. White
Judge of the Superior Court
10/17/08

Notice of Public Lien Sale

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that the public lien sale of the following described personal property will be held at the hour of 10:00AM, on the 14th of November, 2008 at 2600 EVERGREEN AVENUE, County of YOLO, State of California. The property is stored by NATIONAL SELF STORAGE, located at 2600 Evergreen Avenue, West Sacramento, Ca 95691. The contents of storage spaces named below, which consist of misc. personal property, household, garage and yard items. Payments must be cash only.

A49 – William Wayne – refrigerator, end tables, chairs, television, speakers, clothing, rugs, computer, tools; B17 – Joseph Santillan - Auto parts, televisions, boxes, tools; E24 – Jim Hickey – Auto parts, dishes, clothing, air conditioner, toys, boxes;F12 – Tyrell Bramwell – Pans, big screen TV, fan, Mattress, rugs, boxes; J10 – Sue Spurling - boxes, speakers, Chairs; H68 + 69 – Tim C. Lund - Paintings, books, records, H72 – Tim C. Lund - paintings, books, magazines, records; H75 – Tim C. Lund – Auto parts, radio, clothing, boxes; H76 – Tim C. Lund – Magazines, Clothing, boxes; H77 – Tim C. Lund – books, clothing, boxes; H78 – Tim C. Lund – Books and magazines, records; H84 – Tim C. Lund – records, paintings; H85 – Tim C. Lund – tapes, records, books; H87 – Tim C. Lund – Clothing, books, Magazines; H88 Tim C. Lund – bags, clothing, Magazines; H89 – Tim C. Lund – Sports, Clothing, books; H90 – Tim C. Lund – records, clothing, rugs; H92 – Tim C. Lund – Clothing, tapes; H93 – Tim C. Lund – books magazines, radio, boxes, fishing poles;

This Notice is given in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 21700 et seq of the Bus. & Prof. Code of the State of CA. J.Michael's Auction, Inc. Bond #1836232

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'Golden Apple'

Myles Bilheimer, Sue Brothers, Don Beno & Steve Lawrence (News-Ledger photo)

The top staff of West Sacramento's school district received honors from the Yolo County School Boards Association on October 22.

The association's "Golden Apple Awards" included a nod to Steven Lawrence, superintendent of Washington Unified School District.

The original nomination came from his staff member Pam Geivett, who outlined Lawrence's work restructuring the district and opening new schools.

"He has rolled up his sleeves and done whatever is necessary in order to assist with getting the rooms ready, etc.," said Geivett.

She also reported that Lawrence has sought and won new partnerships to bring new programs to the district.

The county school boards association also, for the first time, gave an award to a school district "team" in Yolo County.

Lawrence had nominated his own team for of assistant superintendents for the award:

Don Beno, Human Resources; Myles Bilheimer, Business Services; and Sue Brothers, Educational Services.

"These three individuals have worked as a team to make a profound positive impact on the Washington Unified School District over the past two years," wrote Lawrence. "Just a few of the major accomplishments are: converted district to K-8 schools, built a new high school, restructured budget reserve funding from three percent to over six percent," and other accomplishments.

But Lawrence was surprised by the awards committee to learn that he, too, ended up being included as a "Golden Apple" winner for the "team" category.

COMBINED NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND 30-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

To all citizens, participants and interested parties, Yolo County Housing will conduct a public hearing regarding approval of the updated Housing Choice Voucher Program Administrative Plan. The purpose of the Housing Choice Voucher Administrative Plan is to establish policies for carrying out the housing assistance programs of YCH in a manner consistent with HUD requirements and local goals and objectives contained in YCH's agency plan. The administrative plan is a supporting document to the YCH agency plan, and is available for public review as required by CFR 24 Part 903. A public hearing will be held **on December 11th, 2008 at the Board of Supervisors Chambers, 625 Court Street, Woodland, California at 3:00 p.m.** Interested participants and residents are invited to attend. The Supervisors Chambers are accessible to the disabled.

The 30-day public comment period will end on Wednesday, December 10th, 2008. Comments may be made in writing or may be presented orally at the public hearing. Any persons or organizations desiring to be heard on this topic will be afforded an opportunity to speak at the public hearing. Interested persons may also provide written comments during the public comment period. **Written comments and/or questions should be addressed to: Judson Brown, Housing Assistance Administrator, 147 W. Main Street, Woodland, CA 95695.** Oral comments and/or questions may also be made to Judson Brown, Housing Assistance Administrator, at (530) 669-2247, or by e-mail at jbrown@ycha.org.

If you would like to review the Administrative Plan, it is available at the locations listed below:

Winters Office	West Sacramento Office	Yolo County Housing Main Office
62 Shams Way	685 Lighthouse Drive	147 West Main Street
Winters, CA 95694	West Sacramento, CA 95605	Woodland, CA 95695
Monday – Friday	Monday – Friday	Monday – Friday
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Persons requiring reasonable accommodation or translation into other languages and/or format must contact Ms. Janis Holt at (530) 669-2211 or in writing at Yolo County Housing at 147 W. Main Street, Woodland, CA 95695 at least 72 hours (excluding weekends and holidays) in advance of the meeting with their request.

West Sacramento Police Department and Pick-N-Pull Presents:

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West Sacramento

Drop Off: 9am to 4pm

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  (City Code 17.37.010 does not allow outdoor storage of inoperable or unregistered vehicles in residential areas even with a Certificate of Non-Op)
  (All vehicles will be verified with the authorities)
- **Don't miss this FREE event to clean up your property.** (And have vehicles recycled responsibly)
- **No ownership documents required.** (Whatever you have will help expedite the process)
- **Standard vehicles up to 18 ft.** (No boats, motor homes or trailers)
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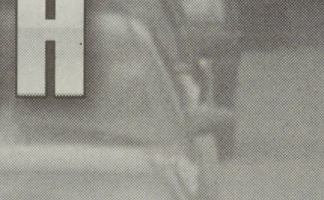
540 Harbor Blvd., West Sacramento and get a $50 Gift Certificate good at any Pick-n-Pull.



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OPINION

FROM THE MAILBAG:

Letters to the Editor

Thanks for supporting veterans

On Friday morning, I had the privilege of handing out Veterans of Foreign Wars poppies to shoppers at Raley's. We also distributed them at the Nugget Market in Southport.

Considering these are tough economic times, not all store patrons were able to make a donation and walk away with a poppy. I gave them one anyway. But to those who did put something in the kitty, my fellow veterans join me in giving you a big thanks. And Kudos to Raley's and Nugget Market for sharing some of their space for the VFW tables.

SAVINO SANCHEZ
Member of Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post #8762

Honor our vets

I would like to see a Veteran's Memorial Wall constructed on the River Walk Park in West Sacramento to represent and acknowledge all those veterans who passed away in a foreign war while they were residents of this community. It's truly sad that so many West Sacramentans have passed away in wars without any recognition for their service.

CHARLES SANO
West Sacramento

Bird corrections

As an amateur bird watcher I must make a few corrections to Stu Greenfeld's "you made the book": The gulls we see in our area are usually the Ring-Billed Gull or the California Gull, there are no "sea" gulls except by the sea; the pelicans we see in winter are the American White Pelican, not the White Winged Pelican; as for the Pigeon Hawk, there are no Pigeon Hawks or Merlins in our area; the birds usually thought of as "pigeons" we see in our city parks and fields are actually called "Rock Doves," a little smaller than the Band-Tailed Pigeon we usually think of; which lives in the higher elevations; and finally, the Mountain Quail, also lives in the higher elevations, what we see in the valley are California Valley Quail, just for the record.

If you are interested in identifying the many birds who frequent our area, Roger Tory Peterson's "Western Birds" is a great guide to identifying our feathery friends. Throw out some seed and watch these acrobatic characters flock to your backyard. They are great fun to watch as they jockey around and wait in line for their turn at the food bin.

TIM McKINNON, West Sacramento

We failed on Prop. 8

I want to apologize. When California voted YES on 8 - out of fear & superstition, they spit on you. They told your children "you do not deserve to have married parents." They told you that despite service, despite years of paying taxes, despite community involvement: "you do not deserve this right."

The majority showed that they are swayed by selfishness: maybe they believe that if you have this right, their own marriages will be worth less. I am sorry for that pathetic fear. I hope you can forgive them.

But not just them. The rest of us didn't fight hard enough. We stopped at yard signs, or standing up for our friends. We should have phone banked, walked precincts, put up more signs, and talked to more conservative voters - every day. We didn't, and because we have allowed those who could not defend themselves to be stripped of their rights, we don't deserve those rights either.

My apology is not for those who voted yes, but for myself, for not doing enough. I'm sorry: I wouldn't blame you for not being able to forgive me, because it's way too little, way too late.

JOSHUA LURIE-TERRELL
Sacramento, California

Cabaldon's popularity slipping

I think it is ironic how Mayor Cabaldon wrote on a local web site that his opponent, Mark Johannessen, out-spent him by an all time amount in the recent mayoral election. He also cries about the dirty politics and special interests involved in the election. Does Cabaldon think we are all stupid and don't know the truth, or is he just that self righteous and in denial? Chris Cabaldon authored high dollar campaigns in our great city, strong arming more money out of special interests than any other person to ever hold office in our history. It's funny that he talks about Johannessen's special interests, yet his Independent Expenditure Committee took in $33,000 and all but $2,500 came from people connected to the Yarbrough project. The same one he fast tracked through the council because he thought he was going to be elected to the 8th Assembly seat.

What happened to the slate of school board candidates he spent over $70,000 to get elected four years ago? Neither Mary or Barry did anything to convince the voters they were worthy of their vote. No mailers, door to door fliers and no television time all paid for by Cabaldon. Funny how hard his candidates work when the work to get elected is up to them. I think if another person would have run, Mary would be joining Barry as an exiting board member.

This was by far the biggest mud slinging election in the history of our city. Cabaldon accussed Johannessen of taking money from the sleazy Adult Motel Owners. We have not had an adult motel in West Sacramento in years. But it sounded good and some people believed it. Cabaldon also bragged to the Bee that the people of West Sacramento are obviously happy with his direction and implied that he won by a landslide. Before this election, Cabaldon touted that he won two years ago with a 70% approval rate. Well, last week he received a 53% approval rate. That means that he has lost the support of 17% of those who supported him two years ago. Cabaldon has always said that he only cares about 51% of the people he represents, as that is the majority.

Well Chris, that number is creeping up on you fast. With the economy in the toilet, you will have a tougher time convincing West Sacramento that you are their savior. Let's see what happens 18 months from now when campaigning starts for your next election.

IRENE EKLUND
West Sacramento

Brookins RICHMOND TIMES-DISPATCH
IT'S A GOOD THING WE STILL HAVE THESE SUVs . . . THEY'LL BE GREAT FOR HAULING OUR GOVERNMENT BAILOUT MONEY.
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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF LAURA G. JOYNER, deceased
CASE NUMBER PB08-228

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Laura G. Joyner aka Laura Joyner aka Laura Grace Joyner:

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Robert A. Joyner in the Superior Court of California, County of Yolo.

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Robert A. Joyner be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held in this court as follows: December 3, 2008, at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 1, Superior Court of California, County of Yolo, 725 Court St., Woodland CA 95695.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Probate Code section 9100. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a "Request for Special Notice" (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A "Request for Special Notice" form is available from the court clerk.

Petitioner: Robert A. Joyner
5441 42nd Ave. SW
Seattle WA 98136
(206) 935-1466

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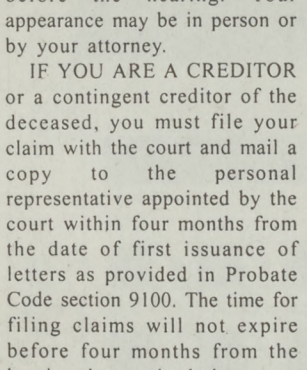

Pytheas, a merchant, geographer and explorer from the Greek colony Massilia, is the first person known to record a description of the Midnight Sun, the aurora and Polar ice.

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Of all nature's gifts to the human race, what is sweeter to a man than his children?
—Marcus Tullius Cicero

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INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Director of Community Development, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, 2nd floor, West Sacramento, California 95691, until 2:00 p.m. on November 21st, 2008 at which time and place they will be publicly opened for the construction of:

Main Drain Trees and Trail Located at: Corner of Marshall Road and Golden Gate Drive: A non-mandatory pre-bid site walkthrough is scheduled on the following date:

· **November 17th , 2008** at 10:00 a.m. at the corner of a Marshall Road and Golden Gate Drive.

· The site walkthrough is offered as an opportunity to view site conditions and meet City Facilities Development Division staff assigned to the project.

The proposed work consists of the following:

Description of Work: The work will consist of the construction of new park facilities, and all related components necessary to complete the work as specified in the Contract plans titled, **"Main Drain Trees and Trail"**, and these Specifications. In addition, the work includes the replacement of any permanent and temporary facilities removed or damaged as a consequence of the execution of this Contract.

Completion of Work: All construction work shall be completed within **(60) Sixty calendar** days from the date designated on the **Notice to Proceed**.

Obtaining Contract Documents: Plans and specifications may be examined at the office of the Director of Community Development, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, 2nd floor, West Sacramento, California 95691. A copy of bid documents may be obtained at the office upon request and payment of **$25.00** or may be mailed upon request and payment of **$35.00**. The amount of the payment is non-refundable.

Bid Guarantee:
Each proposal must be accompanied by cash, a cashier's check, certified check or bid bond, executed on the prescribed form, in an amount not less than ten (10) percent of the total bid price payable to the City of West Sacramento. The Proposal Guarantee must be enclosed in the same envelope with the Bid. A Bidder's Bond will be accepted only if it is made out on either the Bidder's Bond form enclosed in these documents or on a form which conforms to it.

The Attorney-in-Fact (resident agent) who executes the Bidder's Bond on behalf of the surety company must attach a copy of his Power of Attorney as evidence of his authority. A notary shall acknowledge the power as of the date of execution of the surety bond which it covers.

Bidders are hereby notified that in accordance with the provisions of Government Code Section 4590, securities may be substituted for any monies which the City may withhold pursuant to the terms of this Contract to ensure performance.

Construction License: The successful bidder must possess a current **Class "A" General Engineering Contractor's License** issued by the State of California or a **C-27 Landscaping Contractor**.

Award: The award shall be made to the lowest responsible bidder for the base bid, whose proposal complies with the specified requirements and according to the "selection policy and criteria" outlined below. The award of Contract will be made by the Director of Community Development, and the Contractor shall execute the Contract within ten (10) days after he has received the Contract from the City.

No bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the opening of bids.

Relief of Bidder: Attention is directed to the provisions of Public Contracts Code Section 5101 and following, concerning relief of bidders and in particular to the requirements therein that if the bidder claims a mistake was made in his bid, the bidder shall give the City written notice, within five (5) days after the opening of bids of the alleged mistake, specifying in the notice, in detail, how the mistake occurred.

Wage Rates: Bidders are hereby notified that the California Director of Industrial Relations has determined the general prevailing rate of wages for each craft, classification, or type of worker needed to execute the work.

It shall be mandatory for the Contractor and any subcontractor under him to pay not less than the said specified rates to laborers and workmen employed by them in the execution of the Contract.

Copies of the prevailing rate of per diem wages may be obtained from the Department of Industrial Relations, P.O. Box 420603, San Francisco, CA 94142-0603, Attn: Chief, Division of Labor Statistics and Research or at www.dir.ca.gov/DSLR/PWD.

Bonds: The successful bidder will be required to furnish a payment bond in an amount equal to one hundred (100) percent of the Contract price, and a faithful performance bond in an amount equal to one hundred (100) percent of the Contract price.

Addendum(s) Issuance Verification: City staff will notify all contractors either by fax, email or US mail, of the issuance of addendum(s), if any. However, it is the Contractor's sole responsibility to verify that he received all addendums, if any, and to include all issued addendums in his bid. Submittal of the bid without inclusion of all addendums will be considered non-responsive and the bid will be rejected.

Rejection of Bids:
a. Bids may be rejected if they show any alterations of form, incomplete bid, erasures, additions not called for, or irregularities of any kind.
b. The City of West Sacramento reserves the right to waive any minor irregularity or clerical error and award the contract, provided the minor irregularity or clerical error does not materially affect the bidder's bid.
c. The City of West Sacramento reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Conditions of Bid:
A. The City will not be liable for any cost incurred in the preparation of the bid.
B. The submission of a bid shall be prima facie evidence that the bidder has full knowledge of the scope, nature, quantity, and quality of work to be performed.
C. The City may, at its sole discretion, not proceed with this bid process, or accept or reject any and all responses submitted to this bid. All submittals shall be the property of the City of West Sacramento.

Ambiguities and Vagueness:
A. Call Chris Surawski, Facilities & Maintenance Department, at (916) 617-4717 to clarify any ambiguity you might encounter while preparing your bid.
B. The submission of a bid shall be prima facie evidence that the bidder has full knowledge and understanding of the scope, nature, quantity, and quality of work to be performed.
C. Claims for ambiguity or vagueness will not be considered after the bid opening.

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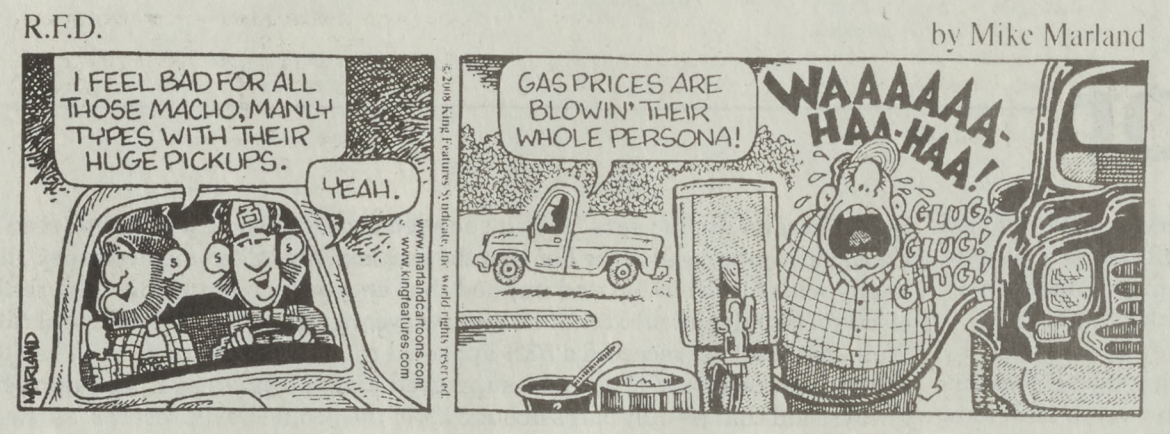
NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE
(UCC Sec. 6105)
Escrow No. 10258A

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a bulk sale is about to be made. The name(s) and business address(es) of the seller(s) is/are: AUDIO XPRESS INC. A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION, 857 JEFFERSON BLVD, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691
Doing business as: AUDIO XPRESS (Type – RETAIL CAR AUDIO STORE)
All other business name(s) and address(es) used by the seller(s) within the past three years, as stated by the seller(s), is/are:
The name(s) and business address of the buyer(s) is/are: KINGSLEY LEE AND JAMES TSUSHIMA, 46 PARK VISTA CIR, SACRAMENTO, CA 95831
The assets being sold are generally described as: ALL STOCK IN TRADE, FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND GOODWILL and are located at: 857 JEFFERSON BLVD, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691
The bulk sale is intended to be consummated at the office of: CAPITOL CITY ESCROW INC, 3838 WATT AVE, STE F-610, SACRAMENTO, CA 95821 and the anticipated sale date is DECEMBER 2, 2008
The bulk sale is subject to California Uniform Commercial Code Section 6106.2.
[If the bulk sale is subject to Sec. 6106.2, the following information must be provided.] The name and address of the person with whom claims may be filed is: CAPITOL CITY ESCROW INC, 3838 WATT AVE, STE F-610, SACRAMENTO, CA 95821 and the last day for filing claims by any creditor shall be DECEMBER 1, 2008, which is the business day before the anticipated sale date specified above.
Dated: NOVEMBER 6, 2008
KINGSLEY LEE AND JAMES TSUSHIMA, Buyer(s)
PCTS LA145154 NEWS LEDGER 11/12/08

PUZZLES & COMICS

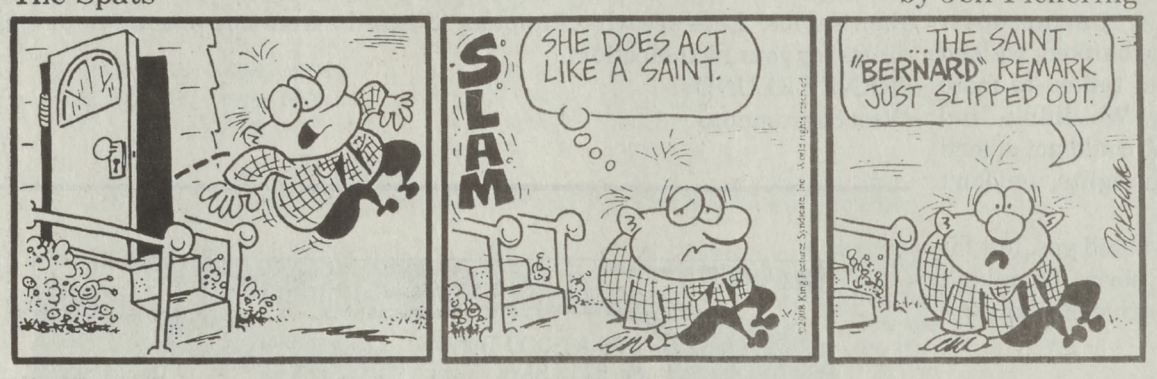
R.F.D.

by Mike Marland



The Spats

by Jeff Pickering



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THANKS, MA. AND YOUR GARLIC CHICKEN WAS AWESOME!
BOY, THAT'S A LOT OF GARLIC, MOM...
...NO GIRL WILL COME WITHIN 10 FEET OF HIM.
I KNOW!
PORTER'S BOOKS
Jerry Craft

Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps

OH, GREAT, I GUESS THIS MEANS SUMMER IS OFFICIALLY OVER.
WAIT A MINUTE, THIS MEANS SNOWFORTS AND SLEDDING!
I KNOW WINTER JUST BEGAN, BUT I CAN ALWAYS...
WAIT FOR SNOW IN THE BORING COLD.
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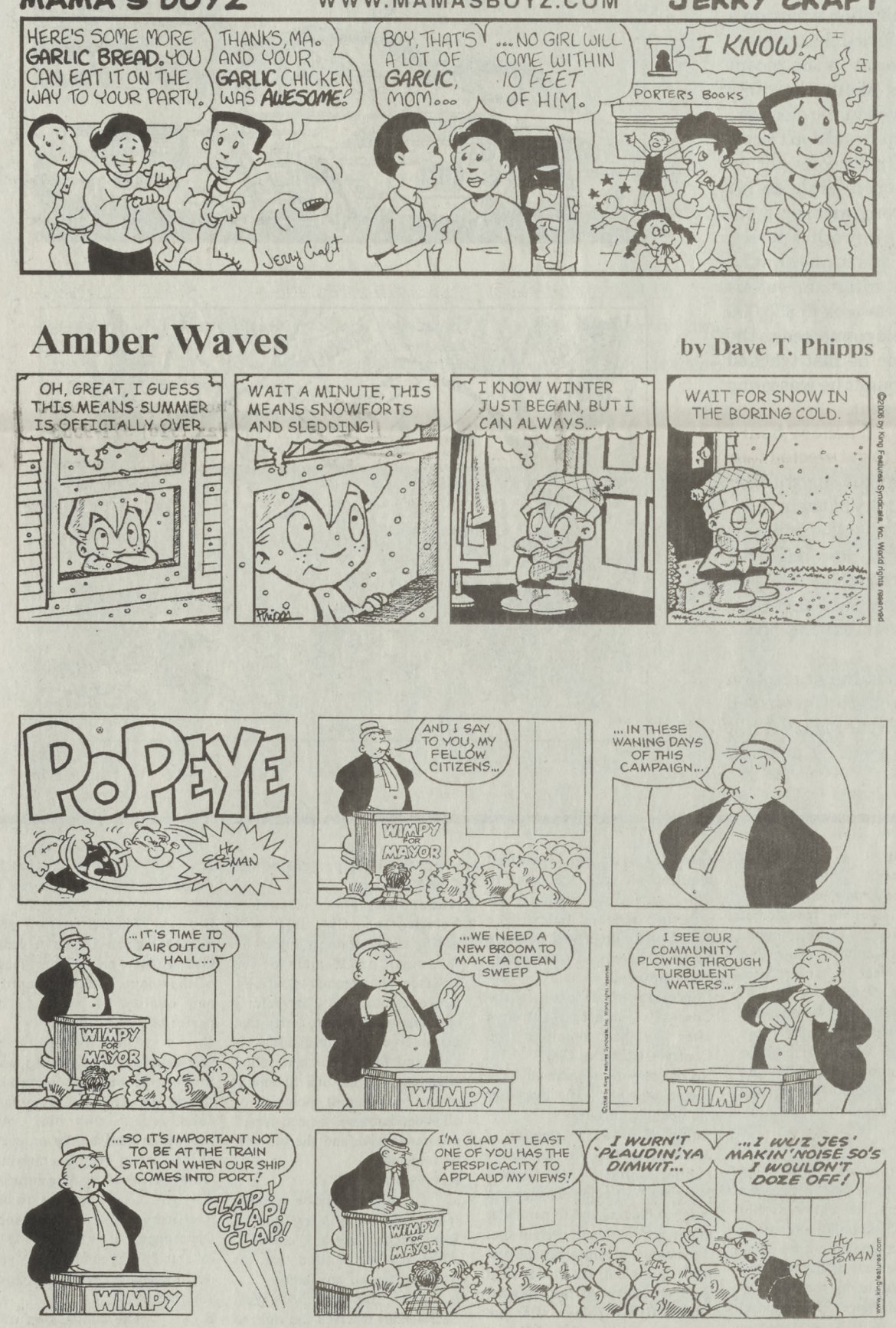
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AND I SAY TO YOU, MY FELLOW CITIZENS...
...IN THESE WANING DAYS OF THIS CAMPAIGN...
...IT'S TIME TO AIR OUT CITY HALL...
...WE NEED A NEW BROOM TO MAKE A CLEAN SWEEP
I SEE OUR COMMUNITY PLOWING THROUGH TURBULENT WATERS...
...SO IT'S IMPORTANT NOT TO BE AT THE TRAIN STATION WHEN OUR SHIP COMES INTO PORT!
CLAP! CLAP! CLAP!
I'M GLAD AT LEAST ONE OF YOU HAS THE PERSPICACITY TO APPLAUD MY VIEWS!
I WURN'T 'PLAUDIN' YA DIMWIT...
...I WUZ JES' MAKIN' NOISE SO'S I WOULDN'T DOZE OFF!
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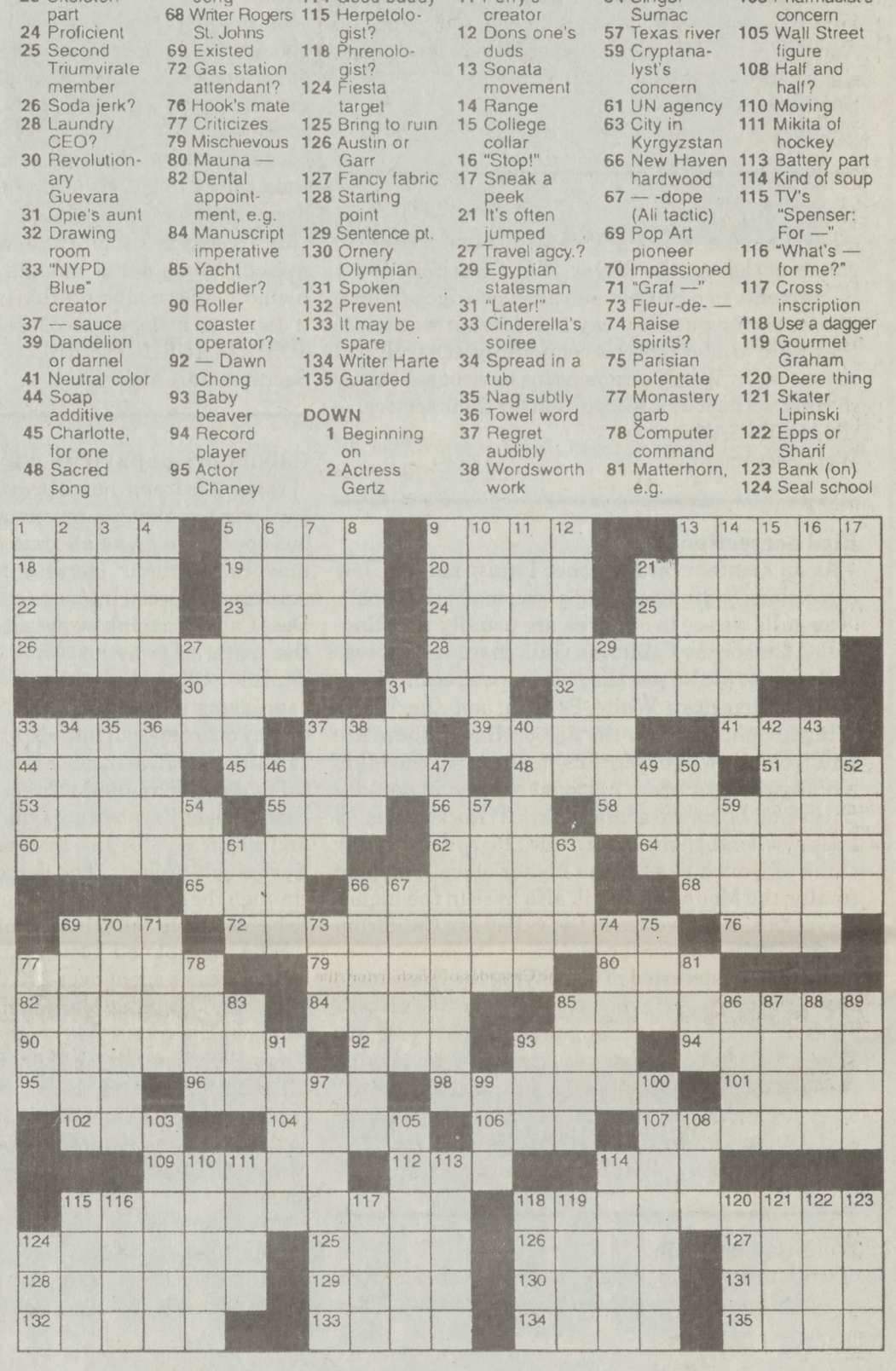
WITHOUT THE SHIP, WE'RE NOT GOING TO SURVIVE OUT HERE FOR VERY LONG.
WERE YOU ABLE TO SEND OUT A DISTRESS CALL?
IT WAS SENT...
...THERE'S JUST NO WAY OF KNOWING IF IT WAS RECEIVED.
FLASH GORDON
BY JIM KEEFE
HEARING WORD OF FLASH'S DISTRESS CALL, DALE HURRIES TO THE CONTROL ROOM IN KING BARIN'S CASTLE.
HERE'S WHERE WE LOST CONTACT WITH FLASH'S SHIP, SIRE. IT'S UNKNOWN TERRAIN.
THE SURROUNDING POPULACE AVOIDS IT LIKE THE PLAGUE.
SEND OUT A SEARCH TEAM IMMEDIATELY.
I'M GOING, TOO!
I'M SORRY, DALE, BUT IT'S OUT OF THE QUESTION.
I'M NOT ASKING, BARIN. I'M TELLING YOU. I'M GOING ON THAT SHIP!
DALE, LISTEN TO ME. I KNOW WHAT FLASH MEANS TO YOU, BUT IT'S JUST TOO DANGEROUS. I WON'T ALLOW IT!
SIGH
I...I UNDERSTAND.
I UNDERSTAND THERE'S NO USE ARGUING WITH YOU.
RECONNAISSANCE TEAM...REPORT TO LAUNCH PAD TWO.
FLIGHT CREW
T. MINUS TEN MINUTES AND COUNTING...
SYSTEMS READY. PREPARE FOR LIFTOFF.
HOLD ON, MY DARLING. I'M ON MY WAY!
NEXT: THE HUNTED!

Super Crossword

FAUXCATIONS

ACROSS
1 Slightly open
5 Celt
9 Lose one's fur
13 Orchestra section
18 Ahmedabad attire
19 Voice type
20 Munich mister
21 Proof-of-purchase, often
22 Skip
23 Skeleton part
24 Proficient
25 Second Triumvirate member
26 Soda jerk?
28 Laundry CEO?
30 Revolutionary Guevara
31 Opie's aunt
32 Drawing room
33 "NYPD Blue" creator
37 — sauce
39 Dandelion or darnel
41 Neutral color
44 Soap additive
45 Charlotte, for one
48 Sacred song
51 Swell place?
53 Psychedelic Timothy
55 Wharton's "The — of Innocence"
56 Gram lead-in
58 Golf instructor?
60 Deli worker?
62 Shoot down
64 Tristan's tootsie
65 Qty.
66 Gimpel and Jong
68 Writer Rogers St. Johns
69 Existed
72 Gas station attendant?
76 Hook's mate
77 Criticizes
79 Mischievous
80 Mauna —
82 Dental appointment, e.g.
84 Manuscript imperative
85 Yacht peddler?
90 Roller coaster operator?
92 — Dawn Chong
93 Baby beaver
94 Record player
95 Actor Chaney
96 Attract the IRS?
98 Minnie of "Circle of Friends"
101 Sturdy trees
102 Inc., in England
104 Spare fare
106 Mrs. McKinley
107 Unrefined
109 "Midnight at the —" ('74 hit)
112 Joplin composition
114 Good buddy
115 Herpetologist?
118 Phrenologist?
124 Fiesta target
125 Bring to ruin
126 Austin or Garr
127 Fancy fabric
128 Starting point
129 Sentence pt.
130 Ornery Olympian
131 Spoken
132 Prevent
133 It may be spare
134 Writer Harte
135 Guarded

DOWN
1 Beginning on
2 Actress Gertz
3 Neighbor of Cal.
4 "Puttin' on the —" ('83 hit)
5 South American cowboys
6 TV's "Kate & —"
7 Italian rumbler
8 Bank offering
9 Contour
10 Semitic tongue
11 Perry's creator
12 Dons one's duds
13 Sonata movement
14 Range
15 College collar
16 "Stop!"
17 Sneak a peek
21 It's often jumped
27 Travel agcy.?
29 Egyptian statesman
31 "Later!"
33 Cinderella's soiree
34 Spread in a tub
35 Nag subtly
36 Towel word
37 Regret audibly
38 Wordsworth work
40 Certain inscription
42 One of the Judds
43 It's in the groove
46 Page or LaBelle
47 Waugh's "Brideshead —"
49 Fragrant neckwear
50 Butte
52 Surface measurement
54 Singer Sumac
57 Texas river
59 Cryptanalyst's concern
61 UN agency
63 City in Kyrgyzstan
66 New Haven hardwood
67 — -dope (Ali tactic)
69 Pop Art pioneer
70 Impassioned
71 "Graf —"
73 Fleur-de- —
74 Raise spirits?
75 Parisian potentate
77 Monastery garb
78 Computer command
81 Matterhorn, e.g.
83 Potok's "My Name Is Asher —"
85 Hindu deity
86 Restaurateur Toots
87 Ditch under a drawbridge
88 Egyptian symbol
89 Investigative
91 Chatter box?
93 Baby butter
97 Cause confusion
99 Fix a fight
100 Courbet, e.g.
103 Pharmacist's concern
105 Wall Street figure
108 Half and half?
110 Moving
111 Mikita of hockey
113 Battery part
114 Kind of soup
115 TV's "Spenser: For —"
116 "What's — for me?"
117 Cross inscription
118 Use a dagger
119 Gourmet Graham
120 Deere thing
121 Skater Lipinski
122 Epps or Sharif
123 Bank (on)
124 Seal school



Answers to puzzles are on Page 4

GO FIGURE!

by Linda Thistle

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

	–		x		20
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	x		–		17
+		x		–	
	x		+		23
11		18		23	

2 3 4 4 5 6 7 8 9

DIFFICULTY: ★★★

★ Moderate ★★ Difficult
★★★ GO FIGURE!

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

2				4	9		7	
	3				6	5		
		4	8					9
	8				2		5	
1	5		7			4		
		3		9				8
6					1	8		
	9			8				2
		1	3				6	7

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

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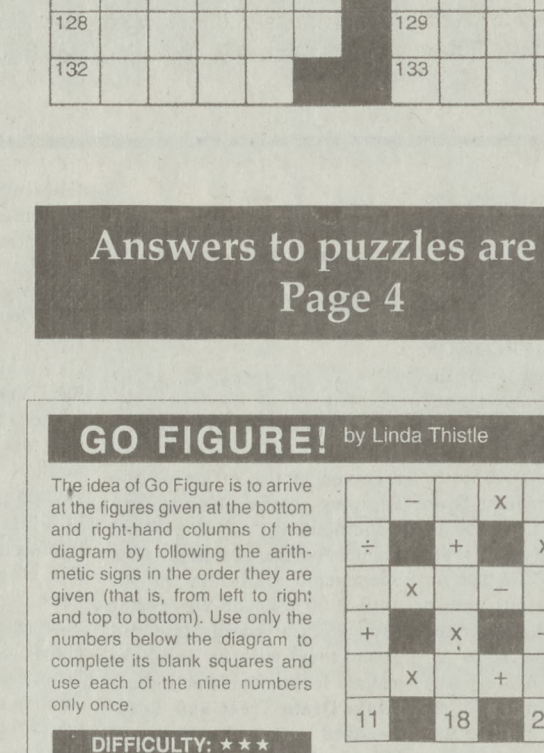
HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.

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I G E O D B M Z X C W R H U T
T O T I H O R I H H R E N Q O
N I A L N S T A L I N S E J I
T G F M E I S S A L E S S D C
A Y X W D V T S R L A A I P O
N L K J E N O I R U G N E B I

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Ben-Gurion
Churchill
de Gaulle
Eden
Eisenhower
Franco
Hirohito
Khrushchev
Macmillan
Mao
Nasser
Nehru
Selassie
Stalin
Tito

DINING, TRAVEL & ENTERTAINMENT

COUCH THEATER DVD PREVIEWS

BY DNA SMITH

PICK OF THE WEEK

"Wall-E" — Hands-down one of the best films of 2008. This animated comedy/adventure from Pixar tells the story of Wall-E, a wee trash compactor who has spent centuries on a post-apocalyptic Earth stacking cubes of garbage, collecting trinkets and watching "Hello Dolly." He discovers a new mission when he meets EVE, an environmental probe, and rises above his programming and in the process discovers love.

There are various packagings, but all will include a director's commentary track, deleted scenes, the short film "Presto" (which showed in theaters before the feature) and a new short film, "BURN*E." The three-disc Special Edition will have all that, plus even more deleted scenes, making-of featurettes, a digital copy of the film for portable devices, a documentary on Pixar and other goodies.

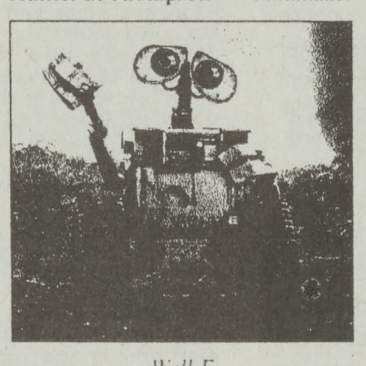
ALSO THIS WEEK

"Tropic Thunder" — One of the funniest and most controversial films of the year — and one of my favorites. "Tropic Thunder" stars Ben Stiller, Robert Downey Jr. and Jack Black as a group of actors filming an "Apocalypse Now" Vietnam epic who are exiled into the jungle to finish the film in a documentary style. Unfortunately, they come across real-life drug lords. But the hapless crew thinks it's all part of the film. Hilarity ensues. The DVD will be released in theatrical version and an unrated version with Extra Naughty.

"The Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants 2" — America Ferrera, Blake Lively, Amber Tamblyn and Alexis Bleidel star in the sequel to the 2005 hit girly pic about a bunch of young girls finding love and ultimately ... themselves. Apparently this can only be achieved with pants. In this installment, the girls "fight heartache and family trouble while seeking adventure during their first year of college." Not having seen the film, I can only imagine the "heartache" to be the Freshman 15. Look forward to 2010's "Sisterhood of the Traveling Slacks with the Elastic Waistband."

DOCUMENTARY

"Gonzo: The Life and Work of Dr. Hunter S. Thompson" — Filmmaker



Wall-E

Alex Gibney ("Enron: The Smartest Guys in the Room" and the Oscar-winning "Taxi to the Dark Side") chronicles the life and tragic death of the Dean of Gonzo Journalism, with special emphasis on Thompson's coverage of the 1968 and 1972 presidential elections, featuring in-depth interviews with George McGovern, Pat Buchanan, Ralph Steadman, Jan Wenner and Thompson's friends and family. "Gonzo" is possibly the best (and most even-handed) documentary on Thompson yet made.

TV SERIES RELEASES

"Bones" Season 3
"Doctor Who" Season 4
"Hawaii Five-O" Season 5
"The Odd Couple: The Final Season"
"Daniel Boone" Season 6
"Star Trek: The Original Series" Season 3 Remastered
"Star Trek: The Entire Original Series" Remastered, Boxed Set
"McHale's Navy" Season 4
"Spongebob Squarepants" Season 5, Vol. 2
"Hannah Montana: The Complete First Season"
"Gene Simmons Family Jewels" Season 3
"Charmed: The Complete Series"

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Jill Jackson's HOLLYWOOD

HOLLYWOOD ... It's a long climb from playing Meathead in the comedy series "All in the Family," but **Rob Reiner** made it and is one of the top producer-directors today. His next is a feature film titled "Book of Shadows." It's about a young man who must embark on a perilous journey of first love and face many trials of maturity while on a dangerous quest to close a mystical tome titled "Book of Shadows" and restore balance to the world. That's what I've been told, even though I don't quite understand it. No casting set as yet.

Come January, **James Earl Jones** will receive this year's Life Achievement Award from the Screen Actor's Guild. His has been a long and distinguished career on stage, screen and TV. He is a shining example of overcoming many obstacles. He was a stutterer and a stammerer, but worked on the defects throughout his younger years. He was raised by his grandparents when his father walked out on the family.

Aside to Orabeth G. of Kansas City, Kan. As far as I know, **Delta Burke** and **Gerald McRaney** are still happily married after almost 20 years. McRaney, at the moment, is in "Dividing the Estate" with **Elizabeth Ashley** and **Penny Fuller** in tria! runs on stage in New York. And yes, as far as I know the McRaneys still own homes in the New Orleans French Quarter and the Pasadena area of California.

Come December, you'll be seeing **Clint Eastwood's** "Gran Torino," in which Clint plays a grouchy widower who goes into action when his neighborhood is set upon by violent gangs. He drives a vintage 1973 Ford Gran Torino (hence the name of the film). "Sir" Clint just keeps rolling along." He is prominent in the Carmel-Monterey area of California, keeps acting and directing, has several kids (now grown) and has had several wives and many untold "relationships."

And how's this for a plot? The title of the script is "Oh Brother," but it's about a self-made woman who is ashamed of growing up as an orphan.

Rob Reiner

So she hires actors to play relatives at her wedding to impress her husband-to-be's high-society family. No cast set as yet, but the wheels of progress are turning and the stars should be announced soon.

Yup. The Oscar push is going strong. Some of the films being touted haven't even been released yet, but some of the others are "The Dutchess," "The Wrestler," "Miracle at St. Anna," "The Visitor," "Burn After Reading," "The Chronicles of Narnia: Prince Caspian" and "Milk." As I see it now, there's no shoo-in, but the year's not over yet.

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BITS 'N' PIECES: Stars that remind me of each other: **Al Pacino** and **Robert DeNiro**, **Harrison Ford** and **Richard Gere**, **Meryl Streep** and **Glenn Close**, and, of course, **Tina Fey** and **Sarah Palin**. How about you? Got any? ... **Sir Sean Connery** will present a career achievement award to **Laurence Fishburne** at the Bahamas Film Festival on Dec. 7. ... **Tim Robbins** still beaming over receiving his star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame. ... And regarding that Walk of Fame: I hate to walk the streets where these stars are placed. I'm always afraid I'll walk on a famous fave. ... AND again at this writing, all quiet on the **Paris** and **Lindsay** fronts. Happy Thanksgiving!

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Books

Painting at the Edge of the World: The Watercolours of Tony Foster
by Tony Foster, forward by Robert F. Kennedy Jr.
(University of Washington Press, $75)
Reviewed by Larry Cox

Twenty-five years ago, British artist Tony Foster — armed with pencils, brushes and a basic paint box — began a trek that would forever change his life. He was determined to capture nature in its most pure element, and he knew that in order to do so, he'd have to travel and endure challenges that were almost unimaginable.

One of his first trips was to Thoreau Country in Massachusetts, followed by the High Sierra in California and several visits to the Grand Canyon. Other notable sites included the Costa Rican rainforest, the Sea of Cortez, the Cascades of Washington, the Bolivian Andes, the Colorado River, the icebergs of Greenland, Yosemite, Nepal and Tibet.

Foster faced such obstacles as altitude sickness, freezing winds and scorching heat. His watercolors froze while he was painting images of the three faces of Mount Everest. Through it all, he accomplished exactly what he set out to do — capture nature in its purest element.

Foster's new book is, much like the sites he visited — breathtaking. The 324-page book contains 240 illustrations, including color plates of 180 artworks. In addition, his diaries and personal comments offer an intimate glimpse into the creative process.

It is one thing to visit a special place, and quite another to capture it on canvas or paper. When Foster first saw the Grand Canyon in 1987, he was stunned by its sheer size and grandeur. As he stood at the edge of the rim and watched the changing light patterns, he understood why the canyon is so attractive to artists from throughout the world. As he put it, the canyon brings together all the necessary elements in superabundance. His watercolors of the canyon are among the most thrilling in the book.

Comfort foods

Made fast and healthy

by Healthy Exchanges

Pumpkin Pecan Muffins

If you're a pumpkin lover, then a batch of these will please your palate whether you are having one for breakfast or an afternoon coffee break.

2 1/4 cups all-purpose flour
1 1/2 cups Splenda Granular
1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 teaspoon table salt
1 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice
1 (15-ounce) can solid-pack pumpkin
1 egg or equivalent in egg substitute
1/4 cup I Can't Believe It's Not Butter Light Margarine
1/2 cup water
6 tablespoons chopped pecans

Preheat oven to 350 F. Spray 12 wells of a muffin pan with butter-flavored cooking spray or line with paper liners. In a large bowl, combine flour, Splenda, baking powder, baking soda, salt and pumpkin pie spice. In a medium bowl, combine pumpkin, egg, margarine and water. Add pumpkin mixture to flour mixture. Mix just to combine. Fold in pecans.

Evenly spoon batter into prepared muffin wells. Bake for 20 to 30 minutes or until muffins test done in center. Place muffin pans on a wire rack and let set for 5 minutes. Remove muffins and continue cooling on wire racks. Serves 12.

HINT: Fill unused muffin wells with water. It protects the muffin tin and ensures even baking.

• Each serving equals: 157 calories, 5g fat, 4g protein, 24g carbs, 305mg sodium, 46mg calcium, 3g fiber; Diabetic Exchanges: 1 1/2 Starch, 1 Fat; Carb Choices: 1 1/2.

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Good Housekeeping

Charleston Sweet-Potato Pancake

This side dish cooks to a rich nutty brown on top of the range, so it frees up your oven for bigger things — like the turkey.

1 tablespoon cornstarch
1/2 teaspoon chopped fresh thyme leaves
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon coarsely ground black pepper
2 pounds sweet potatoes, peeled and thinly sliced
1 pound (2 large) Rome Beauty apples, peeled, cored and thinly sliced
4 tablespoons (1/2 stick) margarine or butter
Fresh thyme sprigs for garnish, optional

1. In cup, mix cornstarch, thyme, salt and pepper.

2. In large bowl, toss sweet potatoes and apples with cornstarch mixture. Then, toss with 3 tablespoons melted margarine or butter.

3. Heat nonstick 10-inch skillet until very hot over medium heat. Add remaining 1 tablespoon margarine or butter. When melted, spoon potato mixture into skillet; pat to an even thickness. Cook, covered, 18 to 20 minutes, until potatoes and apples are tender. Uncover skillet; cook 2 minutes longer.

4. Remove skillet from heat. Place large serving plate over top of skillet. Quickly turn skillet upside down to invert pancake. Replace any pieces on top of pancake that may have stuck to skillet. Garnish with thyme sprigs if you like. Makes 10 accompaniment servings.

TIP: This dish is best made just before serving, but if you're pressed for time, make it up to 2 hours in advance and then reheat, loosely wrapped, in foil.

• Each serving: About 130 calories, 5g total fat (1g saturated), 175mg sodium, 21g total carbohydrate, 1g protein.

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The Kitchen Diva

BY Angela Shelf Medearis

The First Thanksgiving

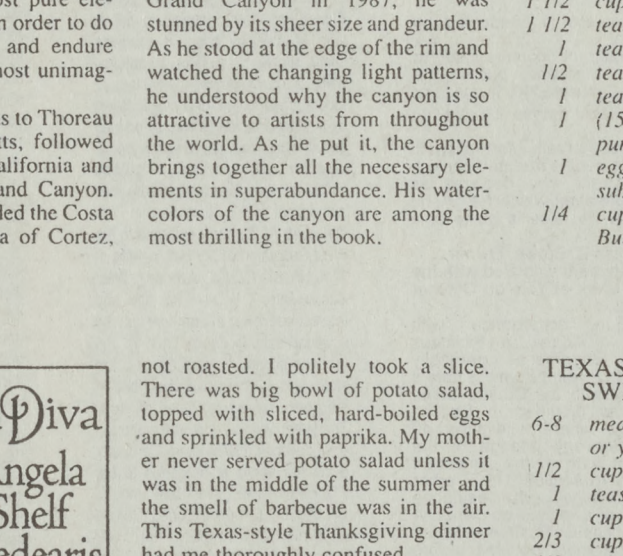
My first Thanksgiving dinner as a teenaged bride married to a native Texan was a culture shock that stands out in my memory to this day. There were a lot of things about my newly adopted state and my new relatives that I simply didn't understand. Throughout dinner, I took comfort in the fact that there were probably similar cultural misunderstandings between the Pilgrims and the Native Americans.

When I first got married, I was one of the worst cooks on the face of the earth. After a few months of trying to digest my burnt offerings, my husband, Michael, began to look like the "After" photos for a weight-loss ad.

Out of sympathy for my rapidly thinning husband, his relatives invited us over for Thanksgiving dinner. I was scared, lonely and homesick, and the sight of all the unfamiliar dishes that covered the beautifully laid table made me even sadder. Of course, there was a huge turkey, but it was smoked, not roasted. I politely took a slice. There was big bowl of potato salad, topped with sliced, hard-boiled eggs and sprinkled with paprika. My mother never served potato salad unless it was in the middle of the summer and the smell of barbecue was in the air. This Texas-style Thanksgiving dinner had me thoroughly confused.

Finally, I recognized something familiar! The candied sweet potatoes looked delicious and were always a staple at my family's holiday dinner. The sugary aroma reminded me of home. I took a large helping.

I tried a few bites of food. Everything was delicious! Under the amused eye of my husband's grandmother, I cleaned my plate. I've been a convert to this African-American Texan-style Thanksgiving Day menu ever since. This Thanksgiving tradition has endured and improved every year, just like our marriage and my cooking.



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TEXAS-STYLE CANDIED SWEET POTATOES

6-8 medium-sized sweet potatoes or yams, peeled and sliced
1/2 cup whole milk, warmed
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 cup pineapple juice
2/3 cup sugar
1/3 stick butter, softened
2/3 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon allspice
2/3 cup raisins
1/2 lemon, thinly sliced

Put the sweet potatoes in a medium bowl and set aside. In a bowl, mix together the milk, vanilla extract, pineapple juice and sugar. Pour this liquid mixture over the sweet potatoes. The acid in the pineapple juice may not blend well with the milk, but it will mix together during the baking process.

Add the butter, cinnamon, alispice and raisins, and stir to combine. Transfer to a baking pan and smooth out the top. Place the lemon slices over the sweet-potato mixture. Bake in a preheated 375 F oven for 45 to 60 minutes. Remove from the oven and enjoy hot or cold.

Angela Shelf Medearis is an award-winning children's author, culinary historian and author of five cookbooks. Her latest cookbook, "The New African-American Kitchen," is in bookstores now. She's known as The Kitchen Diva and is the executive producer and host of the "The Kitchen Diva!" — a television cooking show. Visit her Web site at www.divapro.com.

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Strange BUT TRUE

By Samantha Weaver

• If you're like most people, the length of your footprint is approximately 15 percent of your height.

• Those who study such matters claim that Queen Elizabeth I was rather fond of playing practical jokes on her courtiers.

• It was American journalist and Pulitzer Prize-winning columnist Ellen Goodman who made the following sage observation: "Normal is getting dressed in clothes that you buy for work and driving through traffic in a car that you are still paying for — in order to get to the job you need to pay for the clothes and the car, and the house you leave vacant all day so you can afford to live in it."

• Hens don't actually sit on their eggs; they squat on them, keeping their weight on their feet.

• In Texas, there's a house that's made entirely of Formica. It was designated a National Landmark in 1998.

• It's not just for cats anymore: Purina also makes dog litter.

• You're probably aware of the much-publicized fact that the Great Wall of China is one of the only human constructions that is visible from outer space. You might not know, however, that the extensive network of dikes that keeps the ocean out of the Netherlands is another such construction.

• In the United States, about $8 billion is spent every year on dry cleaning.

Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On **Nov. 21, 1783,** Jean-François Pilatre de Rozier and François Laurent make the first untethered hot-air balloon flight, flying 5 1/2 miles over Paris in about 25 minutes. On Sept. 19, brothers Joseph and Etienne Montgolfiers had sent a sheep, a rooster and a duck aloft in one of their balloons in a prelude to the first manned flight.

• On **Nov. 23, 1859,** the infamous Western outlaw known as "Billy the Kid" is born on New York City's East Side. Billy the Kid called himself William H. Bonney, but his original name was probably Henry McCarty. Before he was shot dead at age 21, Billy reputedly killed 27 people in the American West.

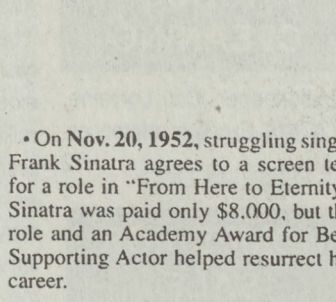
• On **Nov. 19, 1907,** Jack Schaefer, the author of "Shane," one of the most popular Westerns of all time, is born in Cleveland. Shane was the American version of the valorous European knight, who roams a lawless kingdom righting wrongs and striking down the evil oppressors of the common people.

• On **Nov. 17, 1944,** actor and director Danny DeVito is born in Neptune, N.J. A former hairdresser, DeVito made his stage debut in 1969. He spent five years playing cab dispatcher Louie De Palma on the TV sitcom "Taxi."

• On **Nov. 20, 1952,** struggling singer Frank Sinatra agrees to a screen test for a role in "From Here to Eternity." Sinatra was paid only $8,000, but the role and an Academy Award for Best Supporting Actor helped resurrect his career.

• On **Nov. 18, 1966,** Sandy Koufax, the ace pitcher for the Los Angeles Dodgers, retires from baseball. Koufax is perhaps most famous for is his refusal in 1965 to pitch the first game of the World Series because it fell on Yom Kippur. Don Drysdale pitched instead, and gave up seven runs in the first three innings.

• On **Nov. 22, 1980,** actress and writer Mae West dies at the age of 88. In 1926, West produced her own play, "Sex," about a gigolo. West was arrested and spent 10 days in jail for obscenity. Undaunted, she continued writing racy plays until she finally scored a Broadway success with her 1928 play, "Diamond Lil."



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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2008-1013
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
Doug Brown Enterprises, 1229 Camphor Dr., Woodland, CA 95776, County of Yolo
Douglas D. Brown, 1229 Camphor Dr., Woodland CA 95776
This business is conducted by Individual
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 1, 2008.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
S/ Douglas D. Brown, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo on October 14, 2008.
NOTICE-In accordance with Section 17920(a), a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires five years from the date it was filed with the County Clerk, except as provided in Section 17920(b), where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A New Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).
10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19/08
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In three words I can sum up everything I've learned about life: It goes on.

—Robert Frost

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Foreclosure No. 3117369 APN #046-050-44-1 Notice of Trustee's Sale On 12/3/2008, at 12:45PM Mid Valley Title and Escrow Company, Trustee, or Successor Trustee or Substituted Trustee of that certain Deed of Trust executed by Emery A Adair And Rita A Adair, husband and wife as joing tenants and Michael W. Simpson Jr, and Lisa M Simpson, husband and Wife as joint tenants recorded 07/26/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0035755-00, of Official Records of Yolo County, California and pursuant to that certain Notice of Default thereunder recorded 8/1/2008 as instrument No. 2008-0023902-00, of Official records of said County, will under and pursuant to said Deed of Trust sell at public auction for cash, lawful money of the United States of America, a cashier's check payable to said Trustee drawn on a State or National Bank, a check drawn by a State or Federal Credit Union, or a check drawn by a State or Federal Savings and Loan Association, or Savings Bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and Authorized to do Business in this State, at At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA all that right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: As more fully described in said Deed of Trust. The street address or other common designation of said property: 3065 Asante Lane, West Sacramento, CA 95691 Name and address of the beneficiary at whose request the sale is being conducted: Butte Community Bank, 1360 East Lassen Avenue, Chico, CA 95973 Directions to the above property may be obtained by requesting same in writing from the beneficiary within 10 days for the first publication of this notice. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, as to title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the unpaid balance due on the note or notes secured by said Deed of Trust and interest plus the following estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Sale: $505,693.97 Notice To Property Owner YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 07/12/2005 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. For Sales Information please call 714-573-1965 or refer to prioritypostng.com Dated 11/6/2008 The undersigned mortagee, beneficiary or authorized agent for the mortagee or beneficiary declares that the mortgagee or beneficiary has satisified the requirements of California Civil Code 2923.5. Mid Valley Title And Escrow Company 601 Main Street Chico, California 95928 Phone (530) 893-5644 By: Greg Wood, Foreclosure Office P492519 11/12, 11/19, 11/26/2008

Trustee Sale No. 08-13789 Title Order No. S807840 APN 014-255-27-1 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 11/30/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 12/2/2008 at 12:45PM, Old Republic Default Management Services, a Division of Old Republic National Title Insurance Company as the duly appointed Trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust Recorded on 12/07/2006 as DOC-2006-0048194-00 of official records in the Office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, California, executed by: Edgar Fierrros, a single man as Trustor, Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as Beneficiary, Will Sell At Public Auction To The Highest Bidder For Cash (payable in full at time of sale by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). At: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, and state, and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 712 Hardy Drive, West Sacramento, CA 95605 . The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to wit: $192,239.12 (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. The Declaration pursuant to California Civil Code, Section 2923.5(b) is attached hereto as Exhibit A. Date: 11/9/2008 Old Republic Default Management Services, a Division of Old Republic National Title Insurance Company, as Trustee P.O. Box 250 Orange, CA 92856-6250 (866) 263-5802 For Sale Information Contact: Priority Posting and Publishing (714) 573-1965 Esther Valenzuela, Assistant Vice President, NOTICE OF TRUSTEE S SALE DECLARATION BENEFICIARY DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH (OR EXCEPTION FROM) CIVIL CODE §2923.5(C) AND AUTHORIZATION OF AGENT Borrower(s:) Edgar Fierros Servicer: HomEq Servicing Property: 712 Hardy Dr, West Sacramento, CA 95605 Loan No.: 0325927846 The undersigned beneficiary' or authorized agent for the beneficiary hereby represents and declares that a notice of default (NOD) was recorded prior to September 6, 2008 and that the NOD has not been rescinded. Check the applicable box and fill in any blanks so that the trustee/foreclosure agent or their authorized agent can insert, on the beneficiary's behalf, the applicable declaration in the notice of sale required pursuant to Civil Code § 2923.5 (c)]: 1. [X] The beneficiary or beneficiary's authorized agent has contacted the borrower pursuant to Civil Code § 2923.5(C) (contact provision to " assess the borrower's financial situation and explore options for the borrower to avoid foreclosure"). State the date "contact" with the borrower(s) was accomplished: May 28, 2008. 2. [ ] The beneficiary or beneficiary's authorized agent did not make contact with the borrower to "assess the borrower's financial situation and explore options for the borrower to avoid foreclosure"; however, the beneficiary or beneficiary's authorized agent did make the following efforts to contact the borrower: [check applicable choices and complete if applicable]: [ ] a. Attempted ____ times to contact the borrower at the borrower's primary and or secondary telephone number(s) in the lender's or loan servicer's file. [ ] b. Mailed a letter to borrower on ____ by first class mail or certified mail return receipt requested or by both first class mail and certified mail return receipt requested, advising the borrower: (1) of the lenders (or the lender's authorized agent's) desire to speak to borrower to assess the borrower's financial situation and to explore options for the borrower to avoid foreclosure & of the lender or lender's authorized agent's toll free number; (2) of the lenders (or lender's authorized agent's) toll-free number to contact the lender or the lender's authorized agent; and (3) of the toll-free telephone number made available by HUD to find a HUD-certified housing counseling agency. [ ] c. Determined that the borrower's primary telephone number and secondary telephone number or numbers on file, if any, have been disconnected. ' Beneficiary as used herein shall include mortgagee [ ] d. None. Pursuant to California Civil Code § 2923.5(h)(1), the borrower has surrendered the property as evidence by a letter confirming the surrender or by delivered the keys to the property to the mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent of the mortgagee, trustee, or beneficiary. The surrender letter was receive on ___ and the keys were received on ___. [ ] e. None. Pursuant to Civil Code § 2923.5 (h)(2), the beneficiary or beneficiary's authorized agent has evidence in its file, and reasonably believes, that the borrower has contracted with an organization, person, or entity whose primary business is advising people who have decided to leave their homes on how to extend the foreclosure process and avoid their contractual obligations to beneficiaries. [ ] f. None. Pursuant to Civil Code § 2923.5(h)(3), the beneficiary or the beneficiary's authorized agent verified information that, on or before the date of this declaration, the borrower(s) has filed for bankruptcy, and the proceedings have not been finalized. "Finalized" is not defined by § 2923.5(h)(3). For purposes of this Code section, trustee, foreclosure agent and/or their authorized agent is defining the term as either: (1) an order closing the file by the court entered on the courts docket; or (2) an order dismissing the bankruptcy case entered on the courts docket. If the beneficiary or the beneficiary's agent interprets 'finalized' in another manner, please state the basis upon which the beneficiary believes that the bankruptcy has not been 'finalized': ____ [ ] g. List any other attempts to make contact with the borrower other than those described above ____. The undersigned authorizes trustee, foreclosure agent and/or their authorized agent to sign, on behalf of the beneficiary, the notice of sale containing the declaration required pursuant to Civil Code § 2923.5(C). Dated: September 30, 2008 (Beneficiary's/Authorized Agent's Signature) James C. Clymer Print Name James C. Clymer
P494069 11/12, 11/19, 11/26/2008

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 20081061
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
South River Dental Group, 2455 Jefferson Blvd., Suite 130, West Sacramento, CA 95691
Gill and Hughes Dental Corporation, 2860 Michelle Drive, 2nd Floor, Irvine, CA 92606
Business Classification: .a Corporation
The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
Gill and Hughes Dental Corporation
S/ William Hughes, President
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 10/29/2008.
FREDDIE OAKLEY, County Clerk/Recorder
By: A.E., Deputy
NOTICE-This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A New Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before that time.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).
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NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

A Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared for the Arges Jefferson Boulevard General Plan Amendment, Rezone, and Planned Development Permit in the City of West Sacramento at 2300 Jefferson Boulevard (Assessor's Parcel Number 46-010-48). This Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared to address the potential environmental impacts of changing the General Plan designation of the site from Low Density Residential (LR) to River Mixed Use (RMU); changing the Zoning designation of the site from Residential One-family (R-1-A) to Mixed Use (MU); and granting a Planned Development Permit to facilitate construction of an office-building on the site.

The Mitigated Negative Declaration concludes that, with the implementation of the recommended mitigation measures, the proposed project will not cause significant adverse impacts on the environment. Copies of the Mitigated Negative Declaration will be available for public review no later than Wednesday November 5, 2008 at the office of the West Sacramento Community Development Department, West Sacramento City Hall, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, 2nd Floor, West Sacramento, CA 95691, (916) 617-4645.

Any affected or interested parties may submit comments to the Community Development Department no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday December 1, 2008. Any affected or interested parties may also appear at the Wednesday December 3, 2008 City Council meeting and comment on the Mitigated Negative Declaration and/or the proposed project.

The West Sacramento City Council will consider adoption of the Mitigated Negative Declaration on Wednesday December 3, 2008 in the City Council chambers located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, 2nd Floor, West Sacramento, California, at 7:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard.

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TS # CA-08-170814-PJ Loan # 0016098857 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 10/24/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): TIMOTHY BOLGER Recorded: 11/01/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0043176-00 in book xxx, page xxx of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California; Date of Sale: 11/25/2008 at 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $281,399.82 The purported property address is: 621 WATER STREET WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95605 Assessors Parcel No. 014-071-03-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. Pursuant to California Civil Code §2923.5 (c), the beneficiary or authorized agent declares as follows: See the attached Declaration marked as Exhibit A, attached hereto and made a part hereof by this reference. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Date: 10/31/2008 Quality Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: (714) 573-1965 or Login to: www.prioritypostng.com Reinstatement Line: (619) 645-7711 ext 3704 Paul Johannsson If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. This notice is sent for the purpose of collecting a debt. This firm is attempting to collect a debt on behalf of the holder and owner of the note. Any information obtained by or provided to this firm or the creditor will be used for that purpose. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. P489753 11/5, 11/12, 11/19/2008

Loan: 0770076297 Investor No: Other: 3818430 TS#: 08-77090 A.P.N. 045-640-62-1 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 6/11/2002, UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that the real property for which the address is purported to be: 3073 Suisun Bay Road West Sacramento, CA 95691 Assessor's Parcel Number: 045-640-62-1 will be sold at public auction at At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA on 11/26/2008, at 12:45PM to the highest bidder, payable at the time of sale, for cash or cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in California. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness evidenced by said Deed, executed by Rhonda R. Sims, an unmarried woman as trustor, recorded on 06/26/2002 as Instrument No. 2002-0026541-00, in Book No. , page , of the Official records of Yolo County, California. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonably estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $244,652.30. In the event tender other than cash is accepted the Trustee may withhold the issuance of Trustee's Deed until funds become available to the payee or endorse as a matter of right. Dated: 11/3/2008 Five Star Service Corporation, as said Trustee C/o its agent Pite Duncan, LLP 525 East Main Street El Cajon, CA 92022-2289 For Sales Information Call: (714) 573-1965 By: Tammie Duke Trustee's Sales Customer Declaration of Due Diligence CA Civil Code Section 2923.5 (c) I, the undersigned, am an officer of CitiMortgage, Inc., servicing agent for the beneficiary of a Deed of Trust encumbering real property located at 3073 Suisun Bay Road West Sacramento, CA 95691 executed by Rhonda R. Sims as grantor/mortgagor(s) and borrower(s), and I declare as follows in support of the filing of the Notice of Sale: 1. A Notice of Default pursuant to California Civil Code Section 2924 was filed prior to September 6, 2008 and a Notice of Rescission of said Notice of Default has not been filed 2. Pursuant to California Civil Code Section 2923.5(c), as a prerequisite to the filing of a Notice of Sale under California Civil Code Section 2924(f): [X] CitiMortgage, Inc., has contacted the borrower to assess the borrower's financial situation and to explore options for the borrower to avoid foreclosure. [] Citimortgage, Inc., has attempted without success to contact the borrower as follows: [] The borrower has surrendered the property as evidenced by either a letter confirming the surrender or delivery of the keys to the property. [] The Borrower has contracted with an organization, person, or entity whose primary business is advising people who have decided to leave their homes on how to extend the foreclosure process and avoid their contractual obligations to mortgagees or beneficiaries. [] The borrower has filed for bankruptcy, and the proceedings have not been finalized. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on 10/29/08, at O'Fallon, MO. By: Name: Tamara Williams Title: Supervisor

P488588. 11/5, 11/12, 11/19/2008

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No: K365776 CA Unit Code: K Loan No: 0022878755/JONES AP #1: 006-202-20-1 AHMSI DEFAULT SERVICES, INC., as duly appointed Trustee under the following described Deed of Trust WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (in the forms which are lawful tender in the United States) and/or the cashier's, certified or other checks specified in Civil Code Section 2924h (payable in full at the time of sale to T.D. Service Company) all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property hereinafter described: Trustor: WILLIAM H. JONES, LINDA K. JONES Recorded February 15, 2007 as Instr. No. 2007-0005911-00 in Book --- Page --- of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County; CALIFORNIA , pursuant to the Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded July 15, 2008 as Instr. No. 2008-0021876-00 in Book --- Page --- of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County CALIFORNIA: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED FEBRUARY 7, 2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. 319 CROSS STREET, WOODLAND, CA 95695 "(If a street address or common designation of property is shown above, no warranty is given as to its completeness or correctness)." Said Sale of property will be made in "as is" condition without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest as in said note provided, advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. Said sale will be held on: NOVEMBER 25, 2008, AT 9:00 A.M. *AT THE NORTH ENTRANCE TO THE WEST SACRAMENTO CITY HALL, 1110 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA At the time of the initial publication of this notice, the total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the above described Deed of Trust and estimated costs, expenses, and advances is $623,820.49. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. The undersigned mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent for the mortgagee or beneficiary pursuant to California Civil Code 2923.5(c) declares that while contact was not made with the borrower, that the mortgagee, beneficiary or the mortgagee's or beneficiary's authorized agent made the following efforts to contact the borrower. Attempted 10 times to contact the borrower at the borrower's primary and or secondary telephone number(s) in the lender's or loan servicer's file. Date: October 29, 2008 AHMSI DEFAULT SERVICES, INC. as said Trustee, as Authorized Agent for the Beneficiary PATRICIA A. RANDALL, VICE PRESIDENT T.D. SERVICE COMPANY 1820 E. FIRST ST., SUITE 210, P.O. BOX 11988 SANTA ANA, CA 92711-1988 We are assisting the Beneficiary to collect a debt and any information we obtain will be used for that purpose whether received orally or in writing. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. If available, the expected opening bid and/or postponement information may be obtained by calling the following telephone number(s) on the day before the sale: (714) 480-5690 or you may access sales information at www.ascentex.com/websales. TAC# 809399C PUB: 11/05/08, 11/12/08, 11/19/08

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct. 20, 2008
File No. 2008-1036

The following person is doing business as Alhambra Construction Company, 215 East St., Woodland CA 95776.

Larry Andrews, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/19/08.

/s/Larry Andrews

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Oct. 20, 2008
by: /s/Liz Mahovlich, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct. 14, 2008
File No. 2008-1012

The following person is doing business as On the Go Mobile Carwash and Detailing; Mobile Carwash, 431 Robin Dr., Woodland CA 95695.

Jose Lugo Jr., same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 5/12/08. Previous fictitious business name number 000062700.

/s/Jose Lugo, Jr.

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Oct. 14, 2008
by: /s/Ava Woodard, Deputy Clerk

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If a victory is told in detail, one can no longer distinguish it from a defeat.

—Jean-Paul Sartre

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct. 15, 2008
File No. 2008-1014

The following person is doing business as Extreme Green Landscaping, 3227 RIvermont St., West Sacramento CA 95691.

Gina Flint and Matt Flint, same address as above.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/3/08.

/s/Gina Flint
/s/Matt Flint

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Oct. 15, 2008
by: /s/Ava Woodard, Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No. 20080159904206 Title Order No.: 1161747 FHA/VA/PMI No.: **YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 08/23/05. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDEx West, LLC**, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust **Recorded on 08/25/05 as Instrument No. 2005-0042074-00** of official records in the office of the County Recorder of **YOLO** County, State of **California. EXECUTED BY: CARLOS PEREZ,** WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) **DATE OF SALE: November 25, 2008 TIME OF SALE: 12:45 PM PLACE OF SALE: At the North entrance to the City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA STREET ADDRESS** and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **2349 KINSINGTON ST, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691. APN# 045-113-07-1** The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is **$253,965.97.** The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. FOR TRUSTEE SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL: NATIONWIDE POSTING & PUBLICATION, INC. 3350 COUNTRY CLUB DRIVE, SUITE 202, CAMERON PARK, CA 95682 (530) 672-3033, www.nationwideposting.com **NDEx West L.L.C. MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NDEx West, L.L.C. as Authorized Agent**, BY: Ric Juarez Dated: 10/23/08 NPP0130864 11/05/08, 11/12/08, 11/19/08

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Title Order No.: 30151751 Trustee Sale No.: 53252 Loan No.: 9041699687 APN: 010-512-07-1 You are in Default under a Deed of Trust dated **06/02/2005.** Unless you take action to protect your property, it may be sold at a public sale. If you need an explanation of the nature of the proceedings against you, you should contact a lawyer. On **11/26/2008** at **10:00AM**, **FCI Lender Services, Inc.** as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust **Recorded on 6/13/05 as Instrument #2005-0027712-00** of official records in the Office of the Recorder of **Yolo** County, California, executed by: **Daniel Talamantes, a married man as his sole and separate property**, as Trustor. **Downey Savings and Loan Association, F.A.**, as Beneficiary. WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). **At the front entrance to City Hall, 1110 Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA,** all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: **As more fully described in said Deed of Trust**. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **627 James Street, West Sacramento CA 95605**. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: **$280,264.10** (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. The mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent for the mortgagee or beneficiary declares, pursuant to California Civil Code § 2923.5(b), that the mortgagee, beneficiary or the mortgagee's or beneficiary's authorized agent contacted the borrower or, pursuant to California Civil Code § 2923.5(c), made efforts to contact the borrower, to assess the borrower's financial situation and to explore options for the borrower to avoid foreclosure. Date: 10/29/08 **FCI Lender Services, Inc., as Trustee** 8180 East Kaiser Blvd., Anaheim Hills, CA 92808 Phone: (714) 282-2424 Sale Information: (714) 282-2430 Vivian Prieto, Vice President FCI Lender Services, Inc. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. (RSVP# 132293)(11/05/08, 11/12/08, 11/19/08)

Trustee Sale No. fc20169-11 Loan No. 00009800515000 Title Order No. 3826289 APN 046-415-02-1 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 05/23/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 12/02/2008 at 12:45PM, FORECLOSURELINK, INC. as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on MAY 31, 2006 Document No. 2006-0021176-00 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, executed by: Jamila Salmanova and Abdul Kafil, as Trustor, Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., solely as nominee for lender, as Beneficiary, Will Sell At Public Auction To The Highest Bidder For Cash (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). At: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA., all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: As more fully described in said Deed of Trust THE UNDERSIGNED MORTGAGEE, BENEFICIARY OR AUTHORIZED AGENT FOR THE MORTGAGEE OR BENEFICIARY PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE SECTION 2932.5 (c) DECLARES THAT THE MORTGAGEE, BENEFICIARY OR THE MORTGAGEE'S OR BENEFICIARY'S AUTHORIZED AGENT CONTACTED THE BORROWER TO ASSESS THE BORROWER'S FINANCIAL SITUATUTION AND TO EXPLORE OPTIONS FOR THE BORROWER TO AVOID FORECLOSURE. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1715 Princeton Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691 . The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: $109,508.98 (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The Beneficiary may elect to bid less than the full credit bid. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Date: 11/7/08 FORECLOSURELINK, INC. 4401 HAZEL AVE SUITE 225 Fair Oaks, CA 95628 (916) 962-3453 Sale Information Line: (714) 573-1965 Tara Schmidt, Trustee Sale Officer P493987 11/12, 11/19, 11/26/2008

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Three grand essentials to happiness in this life are something to do, something to love and something to hope for.

—Joseph Addison

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct. 7, 2008
File No. 2008-990

The following person is doing business as J.J. Lopez Trucking, 3910 Arroyo Ave., Davis CA 95618.

Jose Lopez and Maria Rodriguez-Lopez, same address.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/7/08.

/s/Jose Lopez
/s/Maria Rodriguez-Lopez

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Oct. 7, 2008
by: /s/Liz Mahovlich, Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No.: 20080187514627 Title Order No.: 1163318 FHA/VA/PMI No.: **YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 03/08/05. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDEx West, LLC**, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust **Recorded on 04/05/05, as Instrument No. 2005-0015448-00** of official records in the office of the County Recorder of **YOLO** County, State of **California. EXECUTED BY: NOE SANCHEZ,** WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) **DATE OF SALE: December 2, 2008 TIME OF SALE: 12:45 PM PLACE OF SALE: At the North entrance to the City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA STREET ADDRESS** and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **3330 PILOT POINT RD, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691. APN# 045-615-19-1** The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is **$322,945.56.** The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. FOR TRUSTEE SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL: NATIONWIDE POSTING & PUBLICATION, INC. 3350 COUNTRY CLUB DRIVE, SUITE 202, CAMERON PARK, CA 95682 (530) 672-3033, www.nationwideposting.com **NDEx West L.L.C. MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NDEx West, L.L.C. as Authorized Agent**, BY: Ric Juarez Dated: 11/09/08 NPP0131085 11/12/08, 11/19/08, 11/26/08

Trustee Sale No.: 20080161903644 Title Order No.: 1157232-21 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 9/5/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 09/08/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0035519-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: Jesse Serrato and Michelle A. Golobe, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 12/2/2008 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 3340 GUADELUPE STREET WEST SACRAMENTO,CA 95691 APN#: 045-664-16-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $394,528.26. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.prioritypostng.com NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 11/6/2008 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P493311 11/12, 11/19, 11/26/2008

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Title Order No.: **30153114** Trustee Sale No.: **54030** Loan No.: **9040981128** APN: **045-683-04-1** You are in Default under a Deed of Trust dated **09/14/2004.** Unless you take action to protect your property, it may be sold at a public sale. If you need an explanation of the nature of the proceedings against you, you should contact a lawyer. On **12/03/2008** at **10:00AM**, **DSL Service Company** as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust **Recorded on 9/20/04 as Instrument #2004-0042603-00** of official records in the Office of the Recorder of **Yolo** County, California, executed by: **Maria T. Ramirez and Alvaro Sanchez, wife and husband**, as Trustor. **Downey Savings and Loan Association, F.A.**, as Beneficiary. WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). **At the front entrance to the City Hall, 1110 Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA,** all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: **As more fully described in said Deed of Trust**. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **3169 Saginaw Street, West Sacramento CA 95691**. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: **$340,531.83** (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. The mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent for the mortgagee or beneficiary declares, pursuant to California Civil Code § 2923.5(b), that the mortgagee, beneficiary or the mortgagee's or beneficiary's authorized agent contacted the borrower or, pursuant to California Civil Code § 2923.5(c), made efforts to contact the borrower, to assess the borrower's financial situation and to explore options for the borrower to avoid foreclosure. Date: 11/6/08 **For: DSL Service Company, as Trustee By: FCI Lender Services, Inc., as Agent** 8180 East Kaiser Blvd., Anaheim Hills, CA 92808 Phone: (714) 282-2424 For Trustee Sale Information log on to: www.rsvpforeclosures.com or call 925-603-7342 or 714-282-2430 (Orange County Sales). Vivian Prieto, Vice President, FCI Lender Services, Inc. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. (RSVP# 133090)(11/12/08, 11/19/08, 11/26/08)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Title Order No.: **3813666** Trustee Sale No.: **53710** Loan No.: **399005062** APN: **008-213-22-1** You are in Default under a Deed of Trust dated **07/16/2004.** Unless you take action to protect your property, it may be sold at a public sale. If you need an explanation of the nature of the proceedings against you, you should contact a lawyer. On **11/19/2008** at **10:00AM**, **FCI Lender Services, Inc., fka FCI National Lender Services** as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust **Recorded on 7/30/04 as Instrument #2004-0034204-00** of official records in the Office of the Recorder of **Yolo** County, California, executed by: **Raquel Charles, an unmarried woman**, as Trustor. **Val-Chris Investments, Inc., a California Corporation**, as Beneficiary. WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). **At: The front entrance to City Hall, 1110 Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA,** all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: Lot 131, addition to Westfield Village, Unit 4, filed June 4, 1954, Book 5 of Maps, Page 1 and 2, Yolo County Records. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **1600 Michigan Blvd., W. Sacramento, CA 95691**. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is **$159,456.45** (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. The mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent for the mortgagee or beneficiary pursuant to California Civil Code § 2923.5(c) declares, while contact was not made with the borrower, that the mortgagee, beneficiary or the mortgagee's or beneficiary's authorized agent made the following efforts to contact the borrower: 1. Attempted not less than three times to contact the borrower at the borrower's primary or secondary telephone numbers, if any, in the lender's or loan servicer's file. 2. Mailed a letter to borrower by First Class Mail Or Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested Or By Both First Class Mail And Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested advising the borrower: (1) of the lender's (or lender's authorized agent's) desire to speak to borrower to assess the borrower's financial situation and to explore options for the borrower to avoid foreclosure; (2) of the lender's (or lender's authorized agent's) toll-free number to contact the lender or the lender's authorized agent; and, (3) of the toll-free telephone number made available by HUD to find a HUD-certified housing counseling agency. Date: 10/23/08 **FCI Lender Services, Inc., fka FCI National Lender Services, as Trustee** 8180 East Kaiser Blvd., Anaheim Hills, CA 92808 Phone: (714) 282-2424 Sale Information: (714) 282-2430 Vivian Prieto, Vice President FCI Lender Services, Inc. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. (RSVP# 131385)(10/29/08, 11/05/08, 11/12/08)

File No. 2008.1046
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

(1) Fictitious Business Name(s): ADVANCE AMERICA / ADVANCE AMERICA, CASH ADVANCE CENTERS / ADVANCE AMERICA, CASH ADVANCE

(2) Physical Business Address: 900 Jefferson Blvd., Ste. 120, West Sacramento, CA 95691, County: Yolo

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(3) List Full Name of Registrant: Advance America, Cash Advance Centers of California, LLC, Delaware Company, 135 North Church

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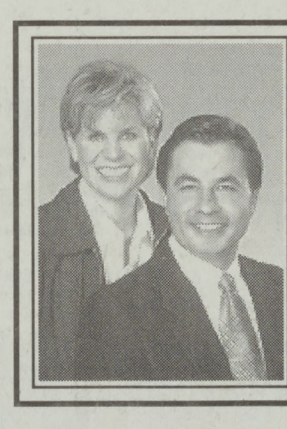
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Local Scene

Thanksgiving

You're invited to the annual West Sacramento Interfaith Thanksgiving Service, scheduled for Wed., Nov. 19, at 7 p.m. at Community Lutheran Church, 920 Drever Street. Learn about other faith traditions and give thanks with others. Call 798-8724 for more information.

Free preschool

Free preschool is available for 3-4 year olds in West Sacramento, either part-time or full-time. Contact the Washington Unified School District, 375-7650.

Habitat for Humanity

Support the 'Habitat for Humanity' mission of building homes for Yolo County families. Attend the annual benefit dinner and silent auction on Nov. 15 at St. James Church, 1265 B Street in Davis, from 6-9 p.m. Tickets are $50 in advance or $55 at the door. Call (530) 668-4301. Donations for the silent auction are still being accepted.

Food & wine

The West Sacramento Foundation plans a "Holiday Food & Wine Extravaganza" on Thursday, Nov. 13, from 5-8:30 p.m. at the civic center, 1110 West Capitol Avenue. $25/ person. Proceeds support the Foundation's charitable projects. Call Charlie Moore, (916) 417-5623.

'Angel investing'

Learn about 'angel' investing. The City of West Sacramento invites you to a seminar called "How to be an Angel Without Losing Your Wings," scheduled for a half-day on Thursday, Nov. 13, at the Rominger West Winery in Davis. It's hosted by Yolo Venture Community in association with the UC Davis Center for Entrepreneurs, Golden Capital Network and the Foothill Angels. A private wine tasting will follow. The program will talk about the fundamentals of investing in private companies. For more information, call Diane, Kurt or Claraine at the City, 617-4535. To register, email Dan Nguyen-Tan at dan@goldencapital.net.

Thanksgiving dinner

The Golden Years Club (serving people age 50+) will have a catered Thanksgiving dinner on Tues., Nov. 18, at 5:30 p.m. at the VFW Hall, 905 Drever Stree. For ticket information, please call Betty, 371-8479.

Teen Center

Join the 'Community Lights Celebration' at the Colllings Teen Center on Thurs., Nov. 20, starting at 6 p.m., 1541 Merkley Ave. Catered dinner. $13/ person or $100 for table of eight. Purchase tickets at the center. Call 375-0681 for information.

Poker, for a cause

The Centennial Rotary Club plans a poker night, Sat., Nov. 15, with check-in at 4:15 p.m. and tournament at 5. 21 & over only. $65 buy-in includes 1,000 in tourney chips, a food ticket and one drink ticket. Proceeds benefit community programs such as the Teen Center and "Take a Kid Fishing" day. The event is at Our Lady of Grace school, 1990 Linden Rd. Register in advance: call Armando Omega, 952-7824 or email armando.omega@gmail.com.

Children's author

Ginny (Ybarra) Christensen, a West Sacramento native and 1974 graduate of James Marshall High School, will sign copies of her new children's book from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Sat., Nov. 22, at Club Pheasant Restaurant. "Nicky's Nocturnal Octopus" is illustrated by Christensen's cousin, Sandy DiLeo. Visit www.ginnymchristensen.com for more information.

Household waste

Yolo County's landfill plans a "Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off" event for Nov. 14-15, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Accepted items include hazardous wastes such as batteries, fluorescent bulbs, used motor oil and filters, lighter fluid, paints, pesticides, mercury thermostats, solvents and poisons, and more. For more information, call (530) 666-8729 or visit www.yolocounty.org.

Free lunch

First Southern Baptist Church is offering a free Thanksgiving lunch for anyone who needs it, from noon to 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 27, at 2124 Michigan Blvd. It is helpful if you could phone them in advance and leave a message to let them know you will be coming. Call 371-2111.

Holiday bazaar

Homemade crafts, baked goods, a kids' shopping boutique and more are part of "Christmas in November" at the Moose Family Center, 3240 Jefferson Blvd.. The event takes place this weekend, Nov. 14-15, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday and 9-12 on Sunday. Members & guests welcome. Call 371-9684 or visit www.wsmoose.com.

Thanksgiving service

A candlelight Thanksgiving service is planned at First Southern Baptist Church from 6:30-7:30 p.m. on November 26. All are welcome, refreshments served. The church is located at 2124 Michigan Blvd. Call 371-2111 for more information.

Philanthropy day

Local nonprofits are invited to 'Yolo County Philanthropy Day Awards," on Thurs., Nov. 13, from 5:30-7 p.m. at the Heidrick Ag History Center, 1962 Hayes Lane in Woodland. Cost is $15/ person. Contact Cath Posehn, Yolo Community Foundation, at (530) 312-0593 or at info@yolocf.org.

For book clubs

The Yolo County Library unveiled the "Read Around Yolo" ('RAY') on Nov. 1. With start-up money from regional "Friends of the Library" groups, the RAY program will loan book club bags to any Yolo library card holder for use with his or her book club. Each bag will include ten paperback copies of one title as well as discussion leader materials. For more information, visit www.yolocountylibrary.org or call the Davis branch, (530) 757-5593 ext. 3.

Broderick & Bryte

The Broderick & Bryte Community Action Group plans to honor city officials at the City Council meeting on Nov. 19, at 7 p.m. The meeting will take place at 1110 West Capitol Avenue.

Charity sale

Toni Coughlin invites you to a boutique and bake sale to raise funds for the fight against Batten's Disease, a fatal childhood disease with no cure. The event will be held from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Sat., Nov. 15, at 2875 Mojave Drive. For information, call her at 371-4977.

Adopt a family

United Christian Centers asks you to consider adopting a family for Christmas – or provide some other kind of help to the families being assisted at the West Sacramento facility. You can provide a turkey for a holiday dinner, a gift card to a local grocery store, other food items, toys or other goods. Call 372-0200 ext. 114 (Sharon Wagner) or ext. 113 (Tom Botta) to find out how you can help someone in need.

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Women's history

The Yolo County Women's History Month planning committee will meet on Thursday, Nov. 20, from 1-2 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Yolo County Board of Supervisors conference room, 625 Court Street (second floor) in Woodland. This year's theme is "Women Taking the Lead to Save Our Planet."

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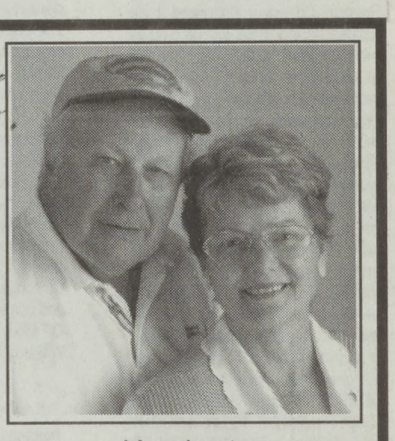
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